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# Deep Learning and Quantum Many-Body Computation

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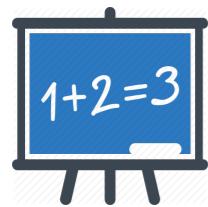
took place in Würzburg, during the week of September 30 to October 4.



# Plan



Introduction



Deep learning theoretical minimum



Applications to quantum many-body physics  
and beyond



Hands on session (Jin-Guo Liu, Shuo-Hui Li)

Hands on <https://github.com/GiggleLiu/marburg>

## ☞ Deep Learning and Quantum Many-Body Physics - Hands on Session

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We have prepared four examples

- Computation Graphs and Back Propagation
- [RealNVP](#) network for sampling
- Restricted Boltzmann Machine for image restoration
- Deep Neural Network as a Quantum Wave Function Ansatz

They have been uploaded to both Google drive and Github repository. Have fun!

### Preparations

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You may use either local or online accesses to our python notebooks.

If you are not using an Nvidia GPU or its driver are not properly configured, online access is recommended, otherwise you may lose some fun in this session.

## Lecture Note on Deep Learning and Quantum Many-Body Computation

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### Abstract

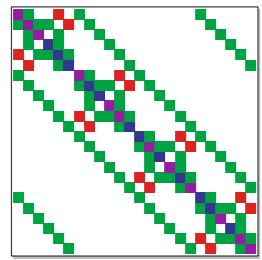
This note introduces deep learning from a computational quantum physicist's perspective. The focus is on deep learning's impacts to quantum many-body computation, and vice versa. The latest version of the note is at <http://wangleiphy.github.io/>. Please send comments, suggestions and corrections to the email address in below.

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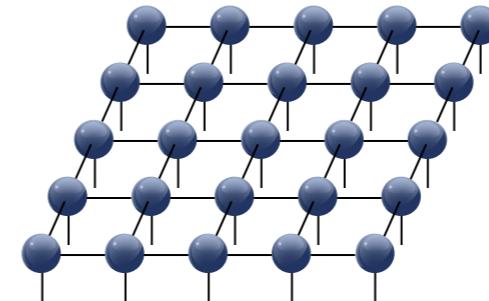
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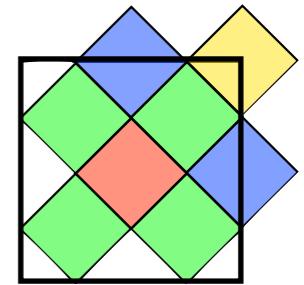
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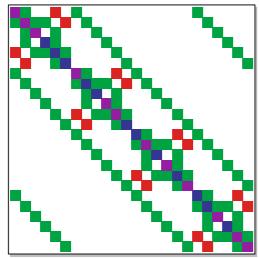


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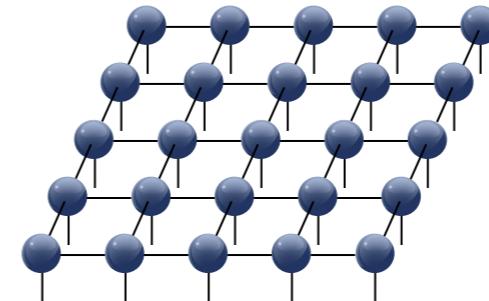
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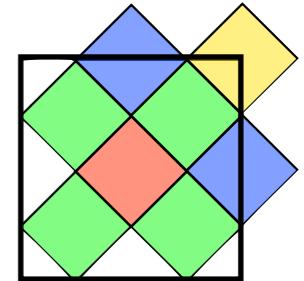
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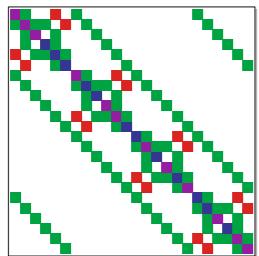
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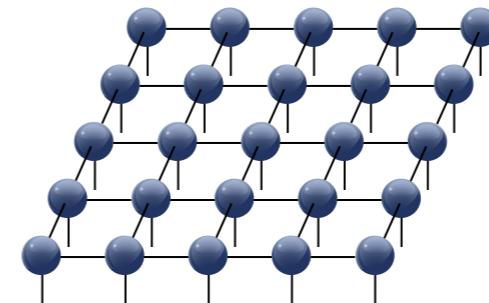
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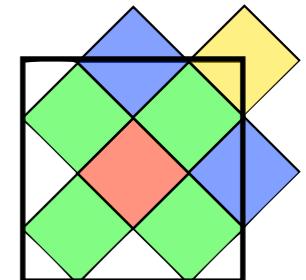
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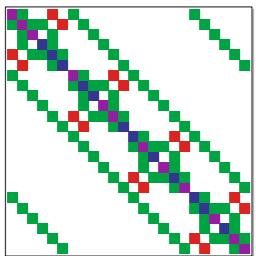
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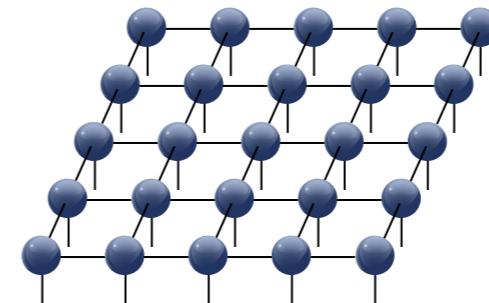
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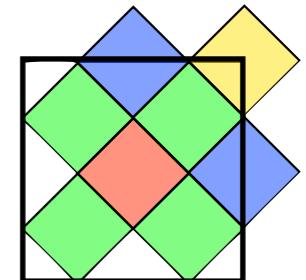
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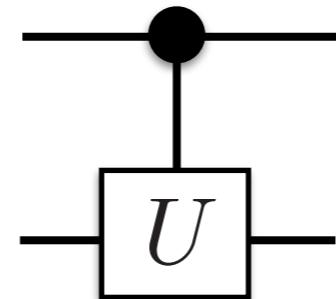
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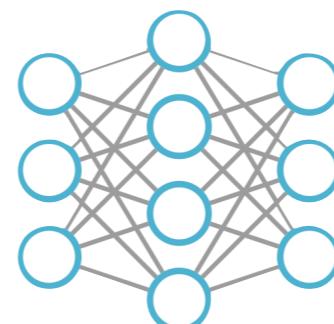
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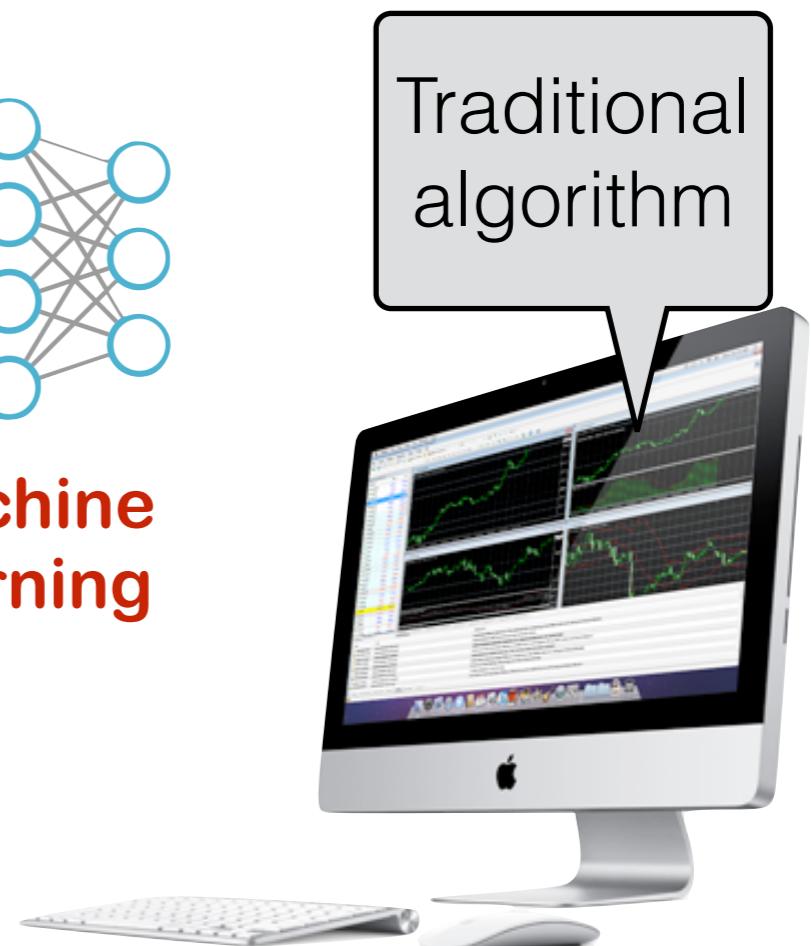
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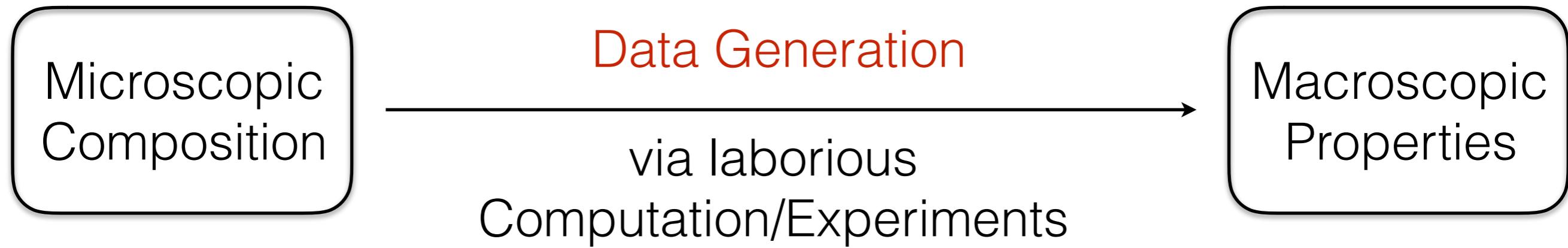
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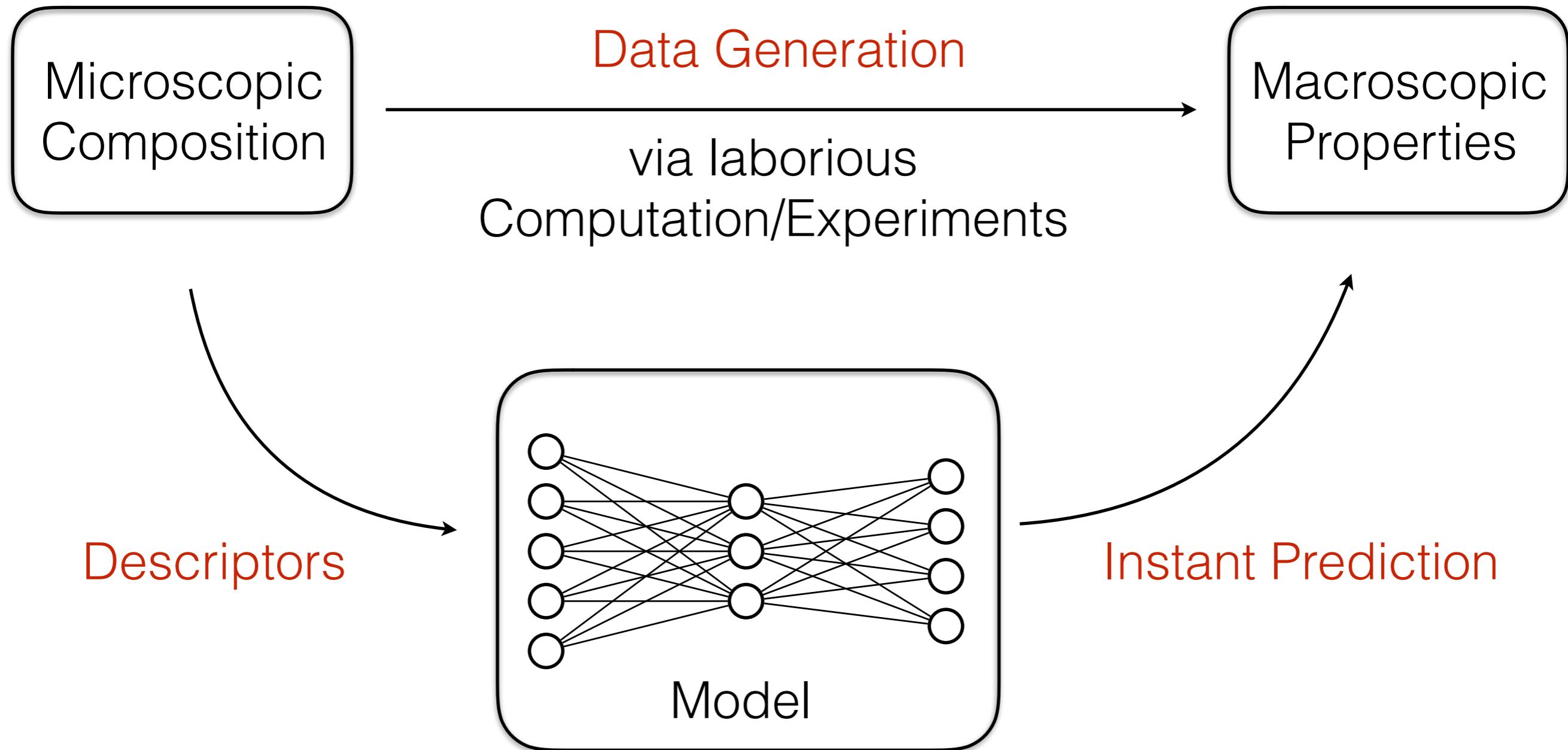
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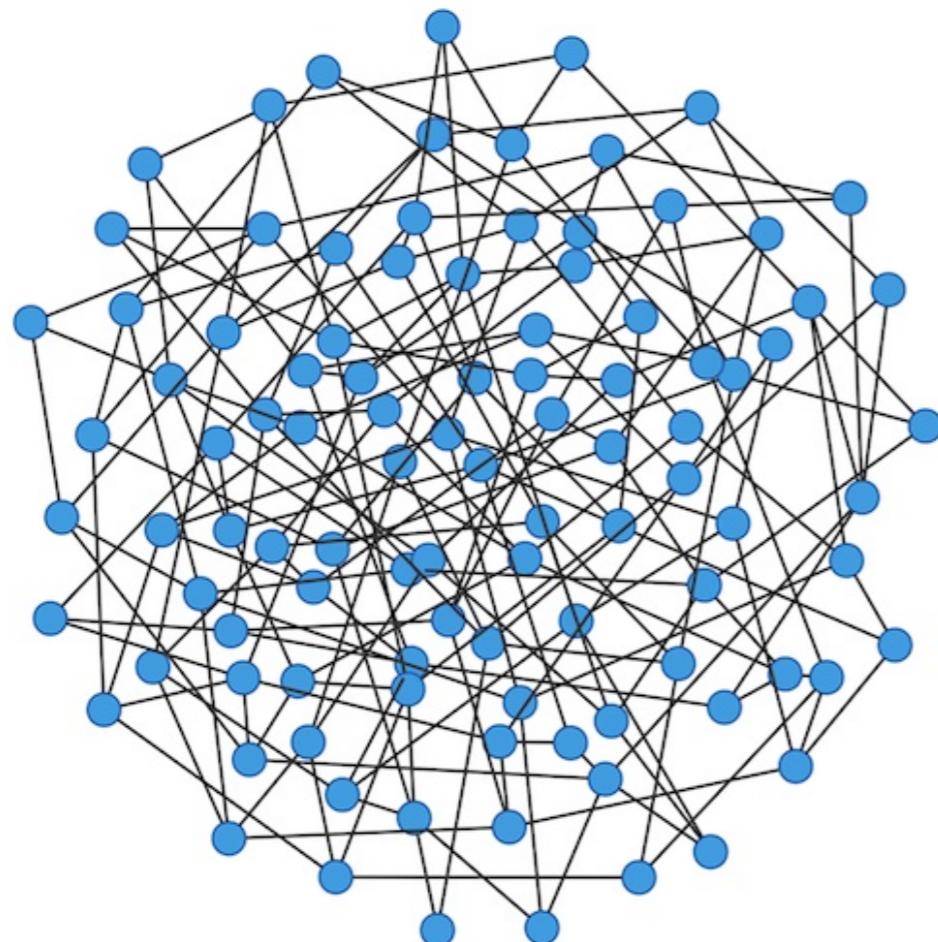


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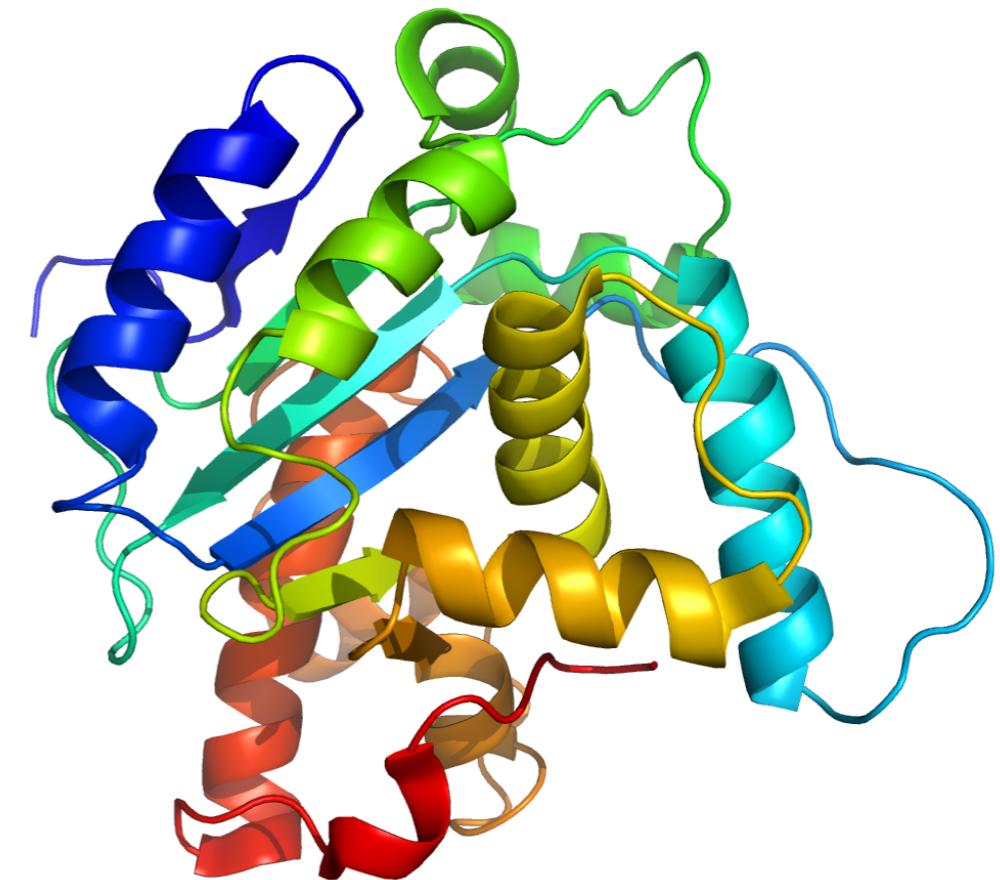


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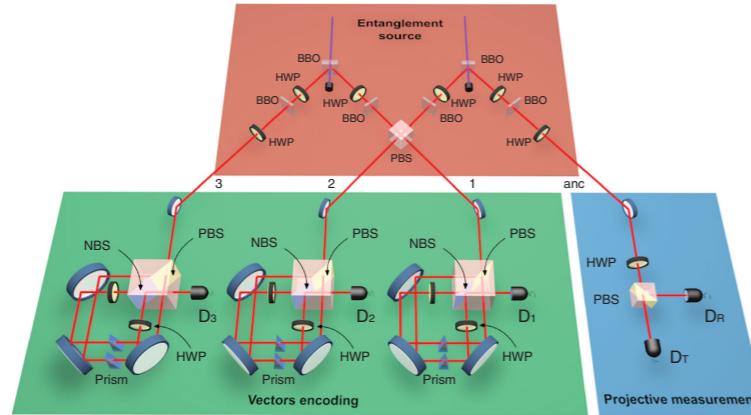


**Soft Matter/Biophysics**

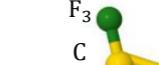


**Deep learning has its statistical physics gene**

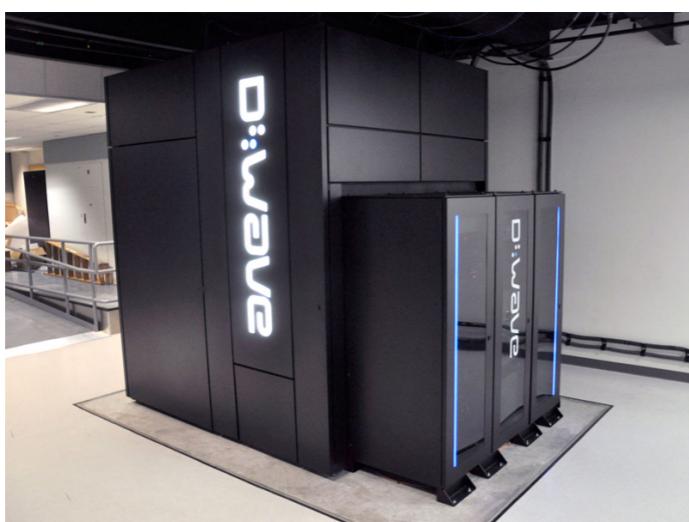
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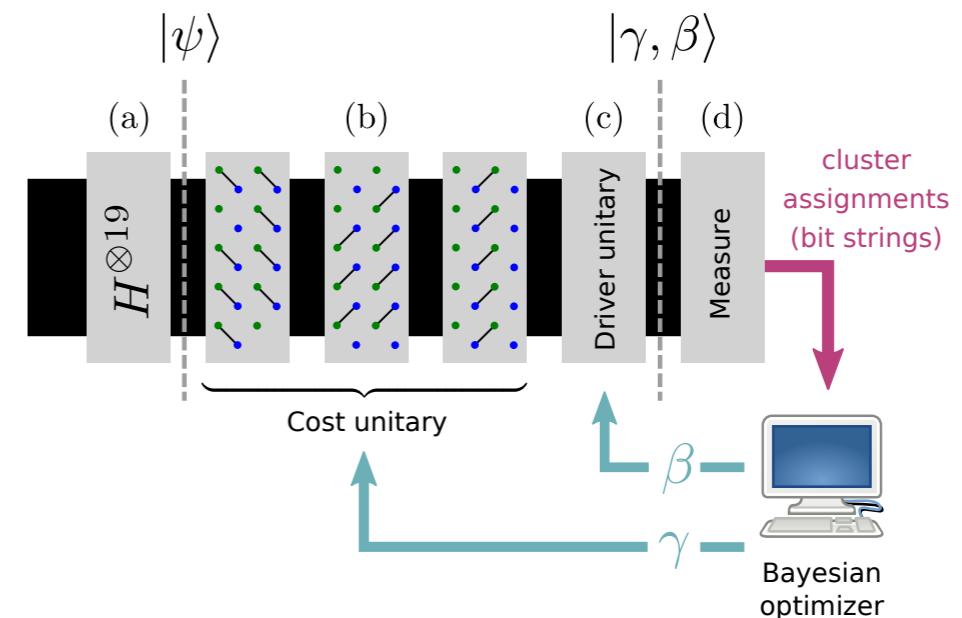
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Li et al, PRL 114, 140504 (2015)



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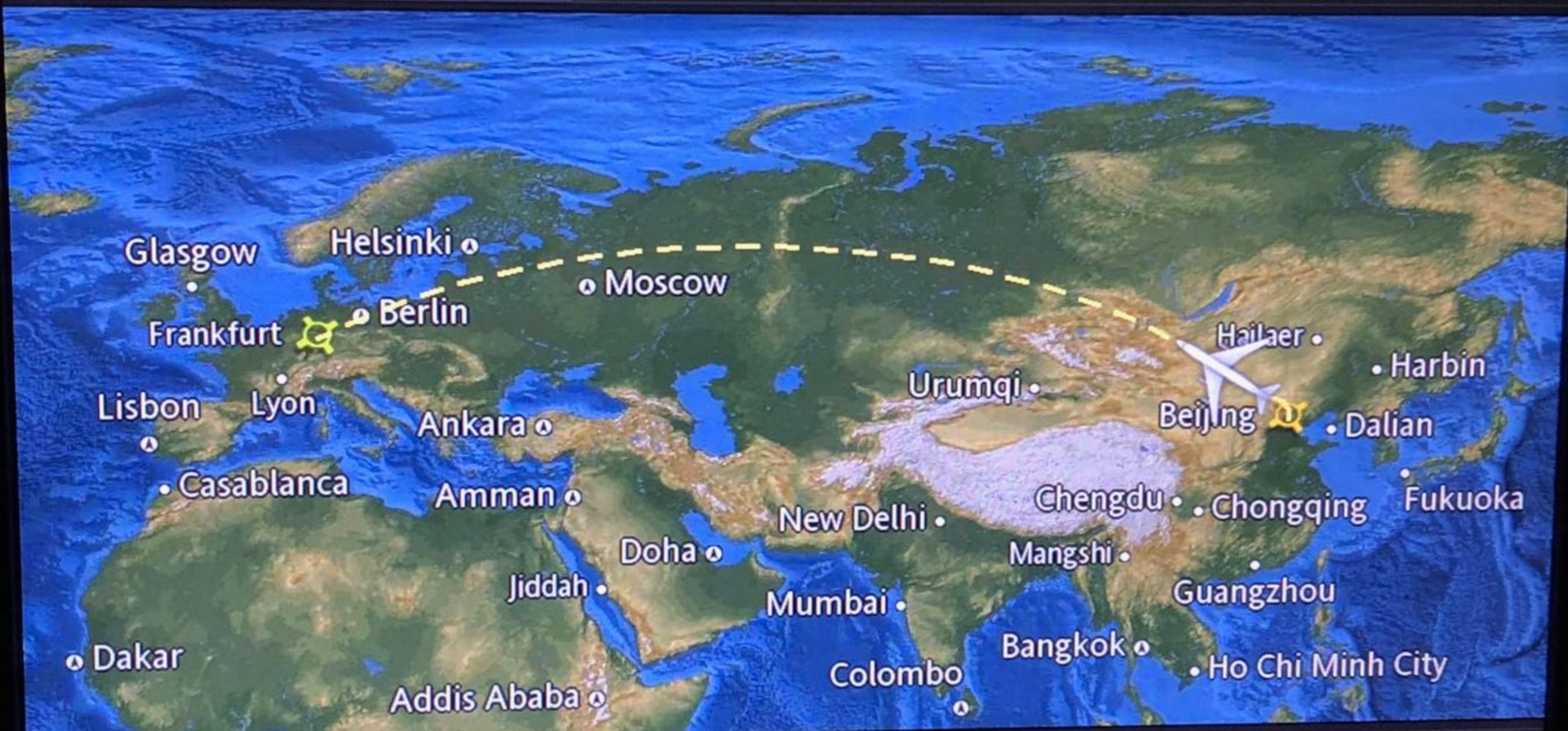
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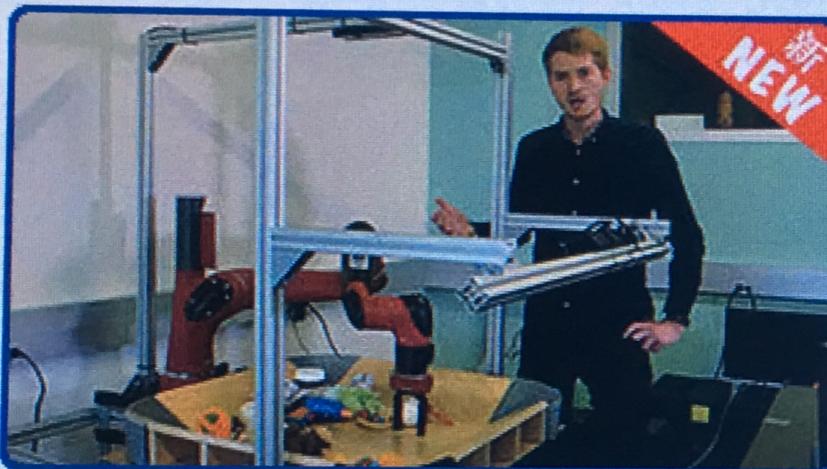
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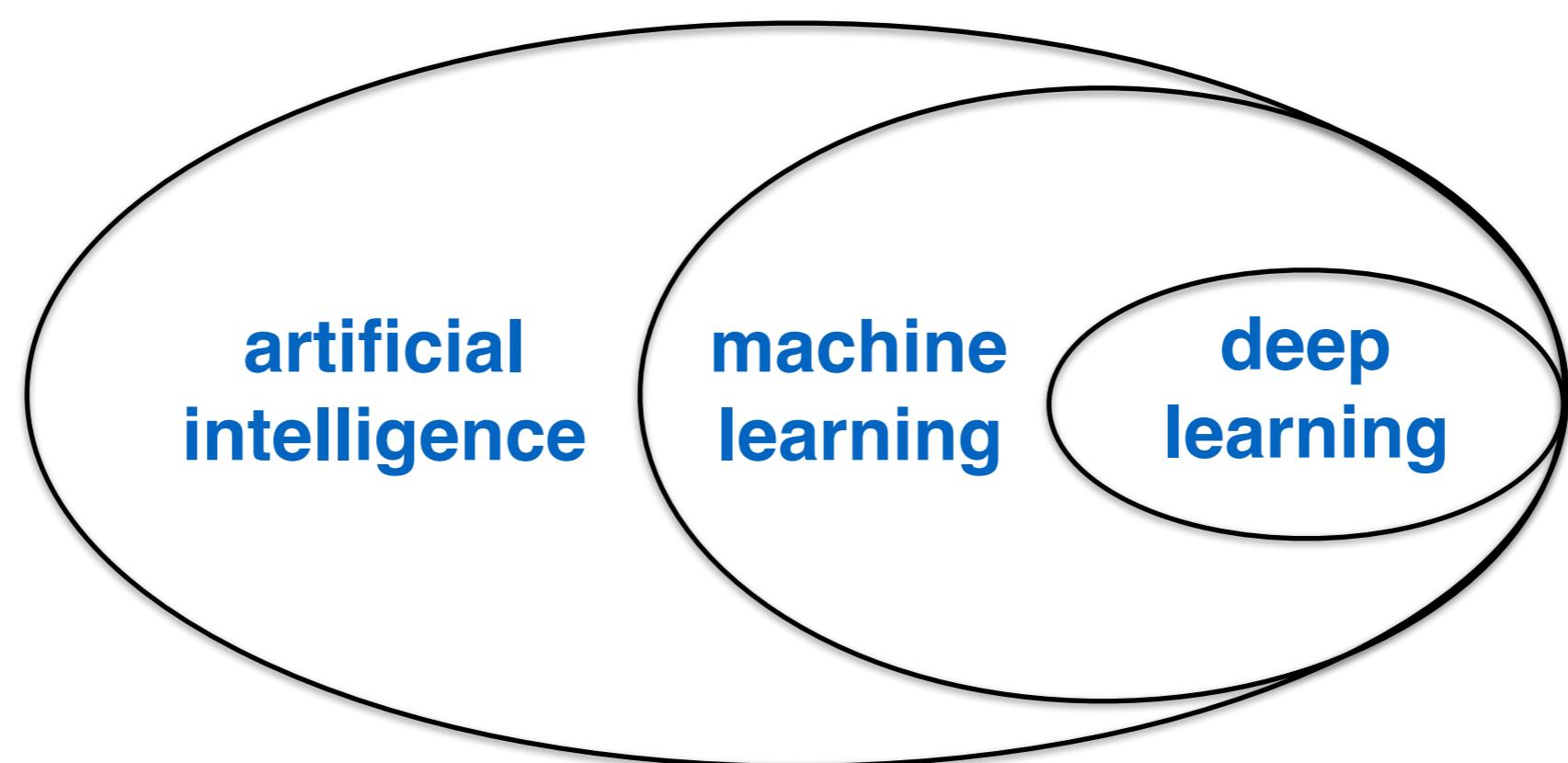
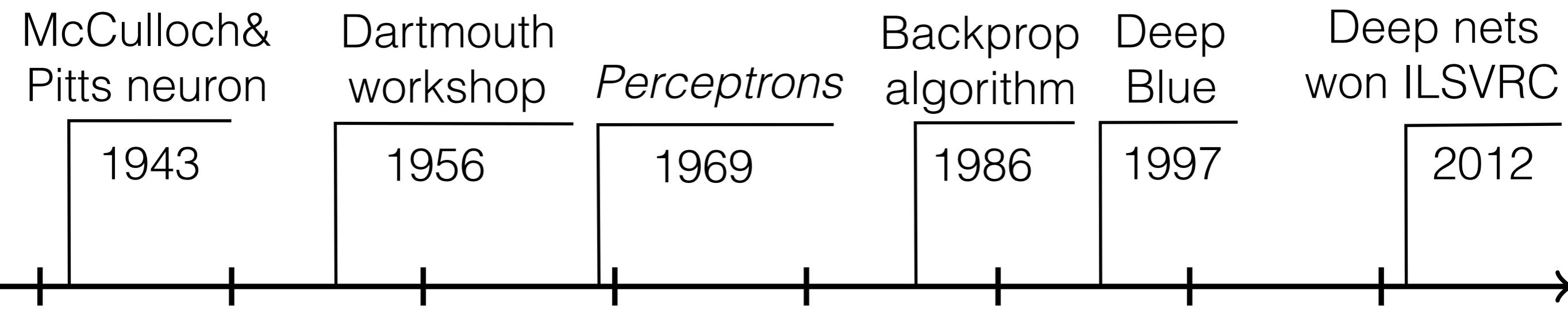


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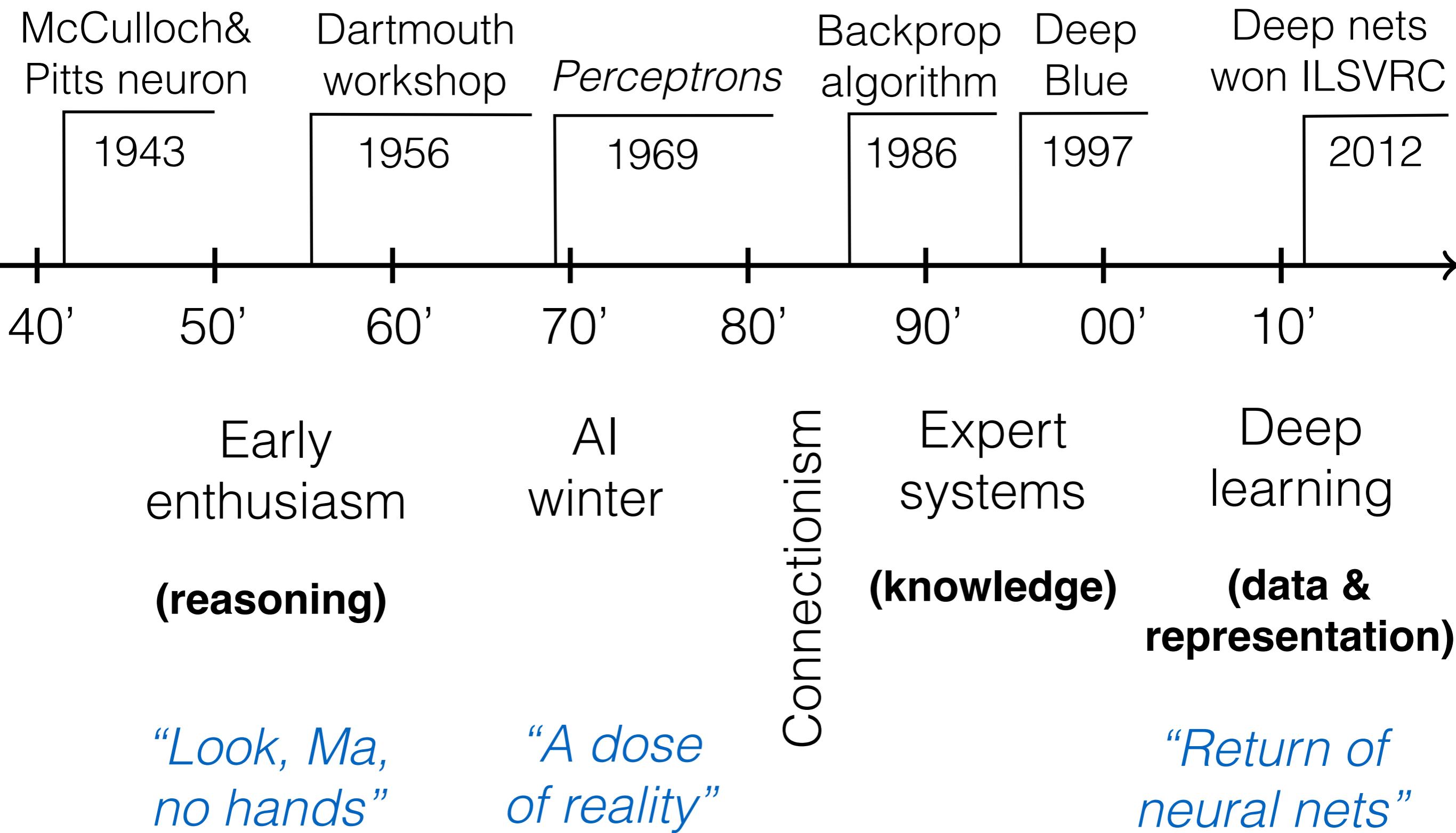
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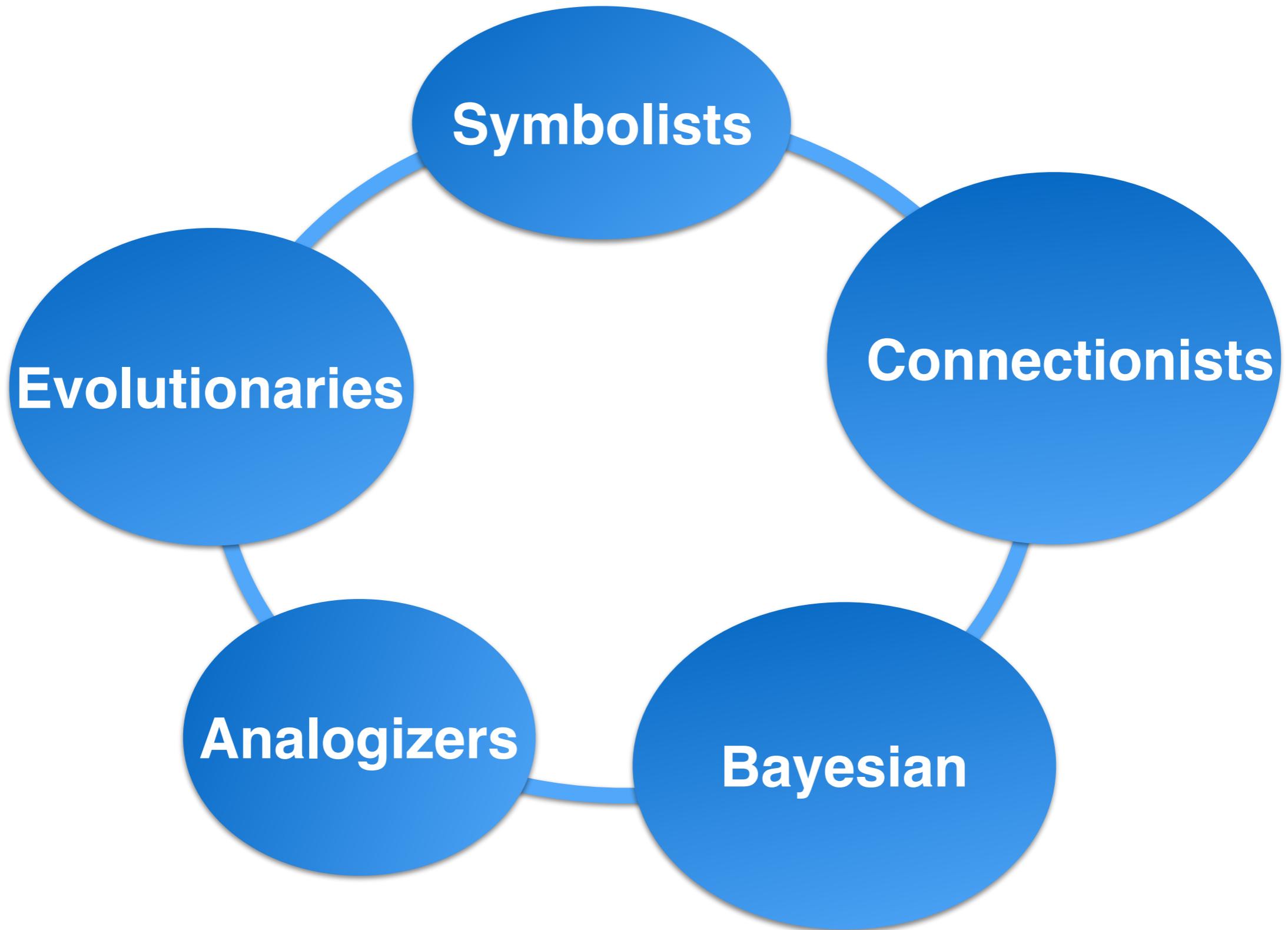
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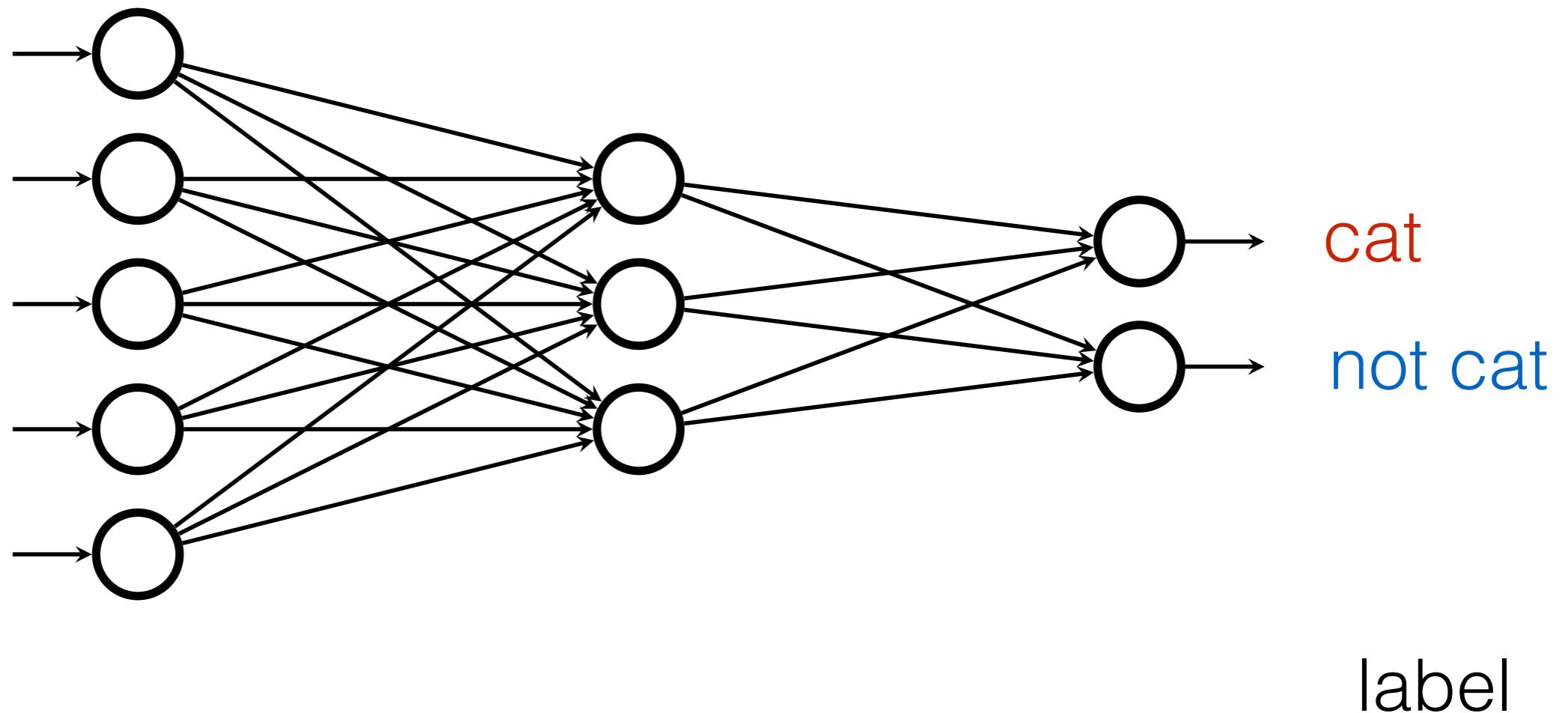
# Five schools of ML



# Artificial Neural Networks



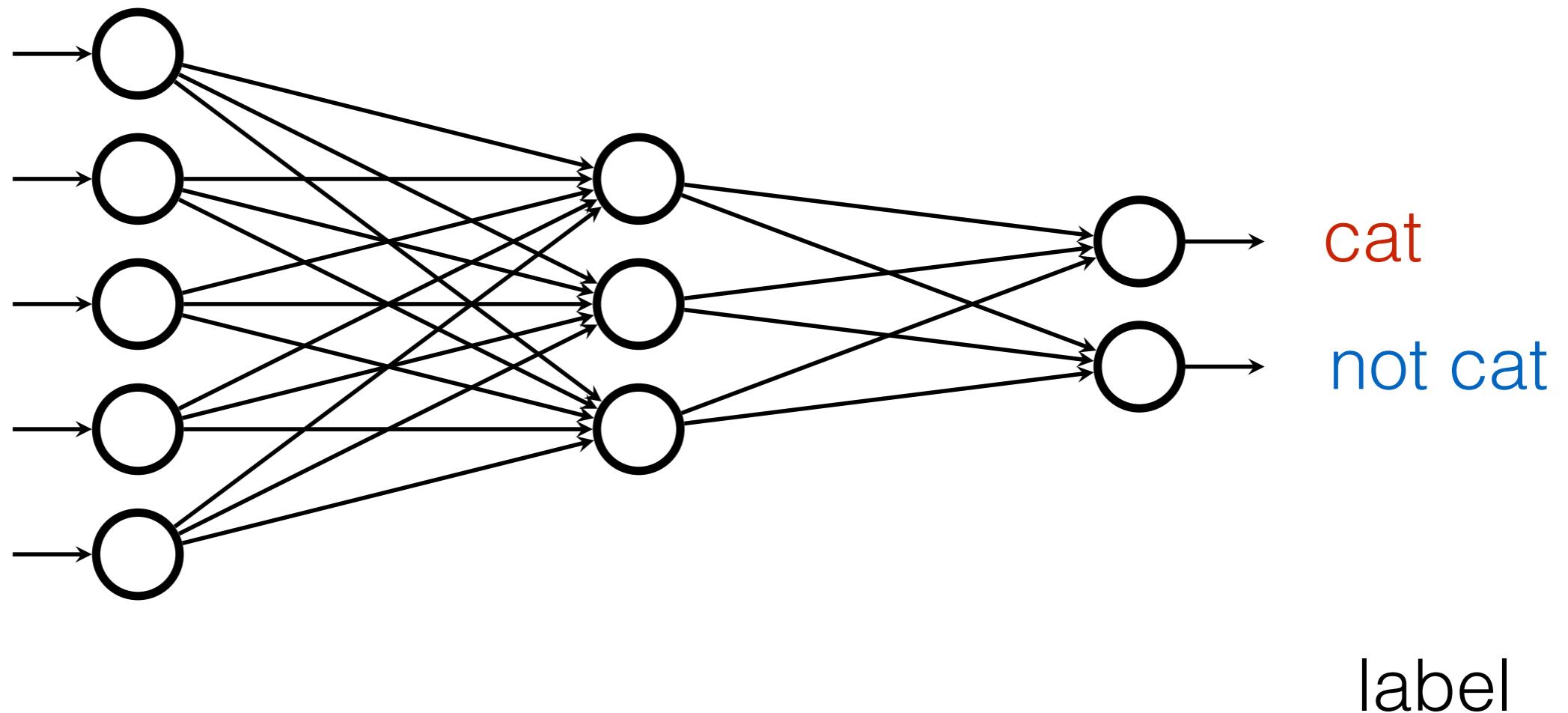
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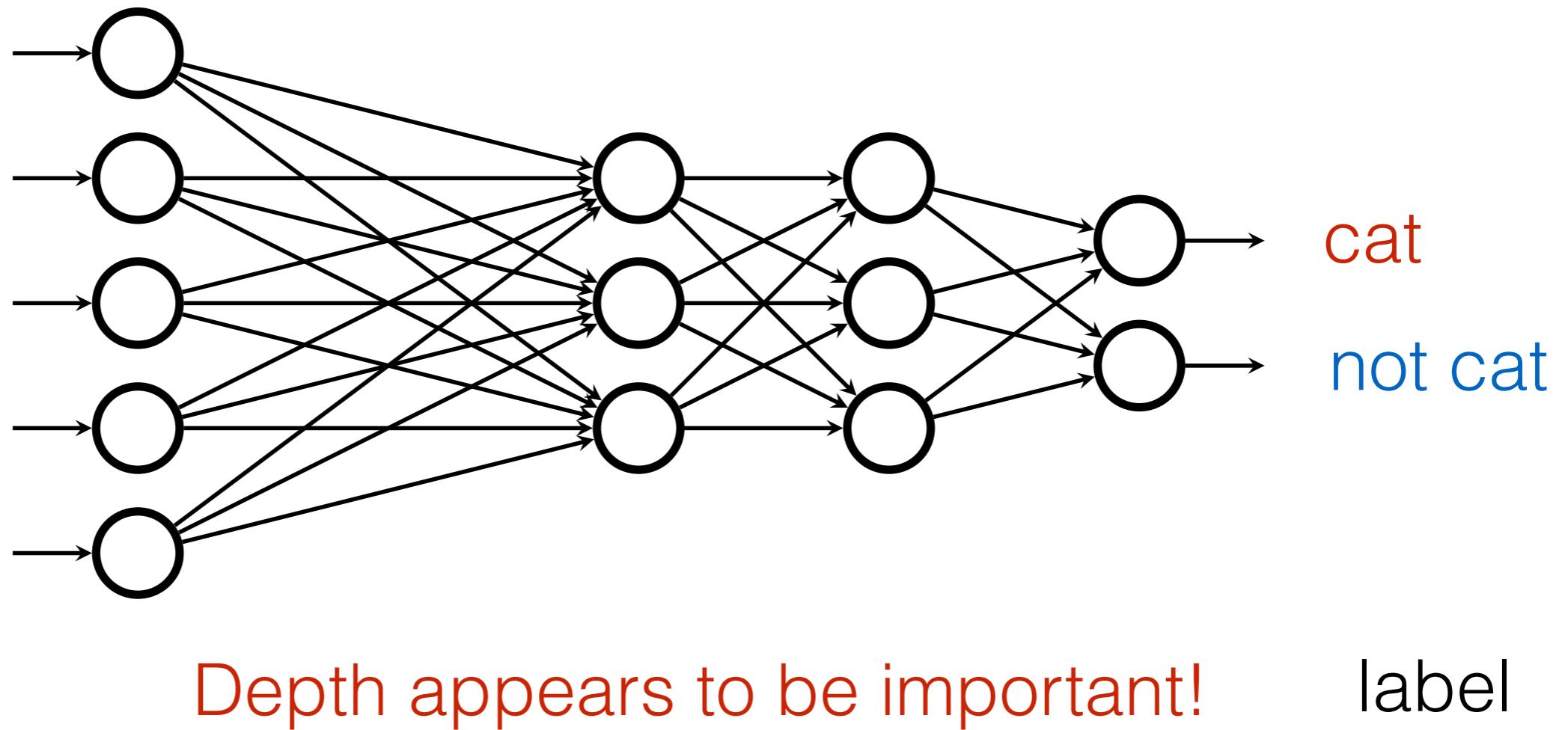
**Universal Function Approximator**

Cybenko 1989  
Hornik, Stinchcombe, White 1989

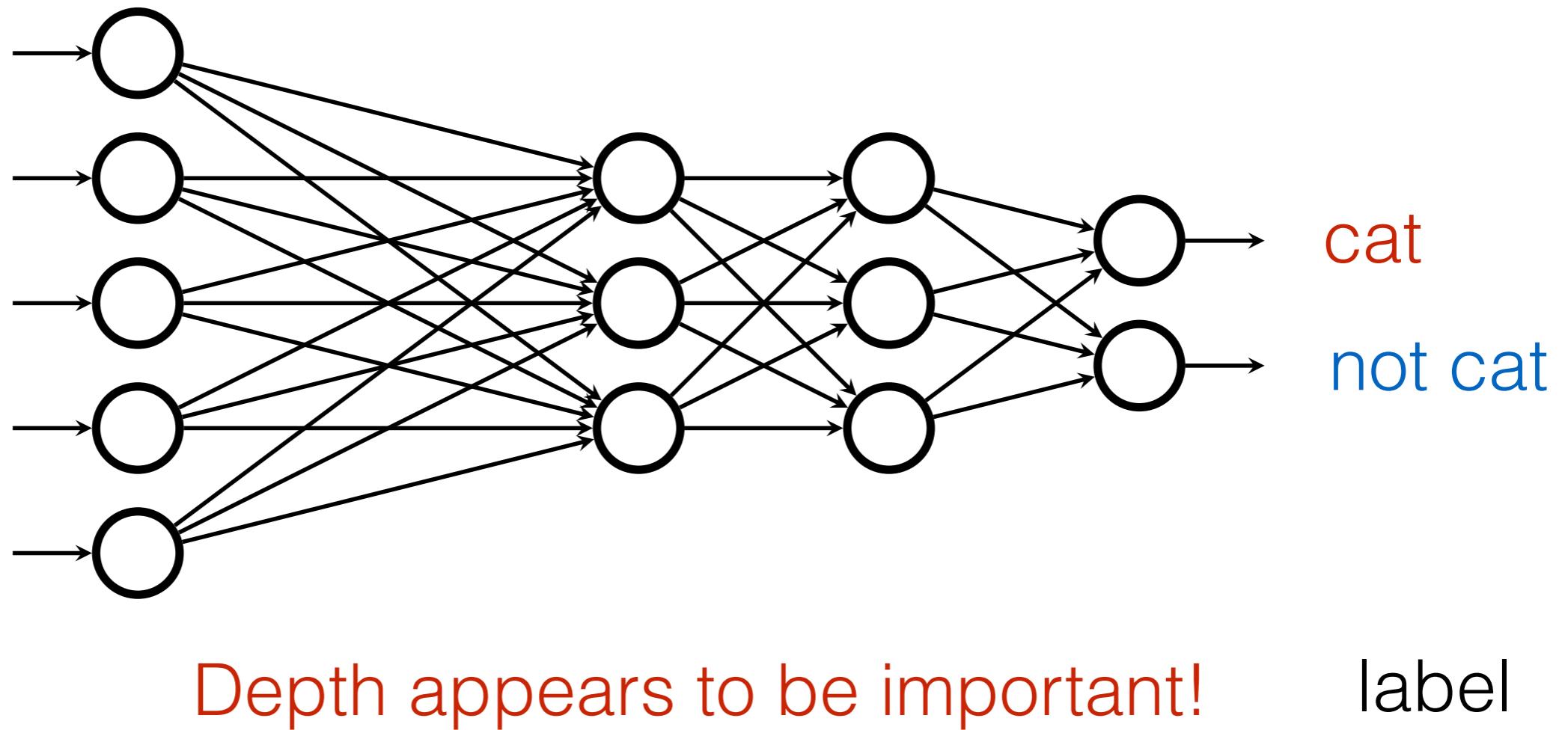
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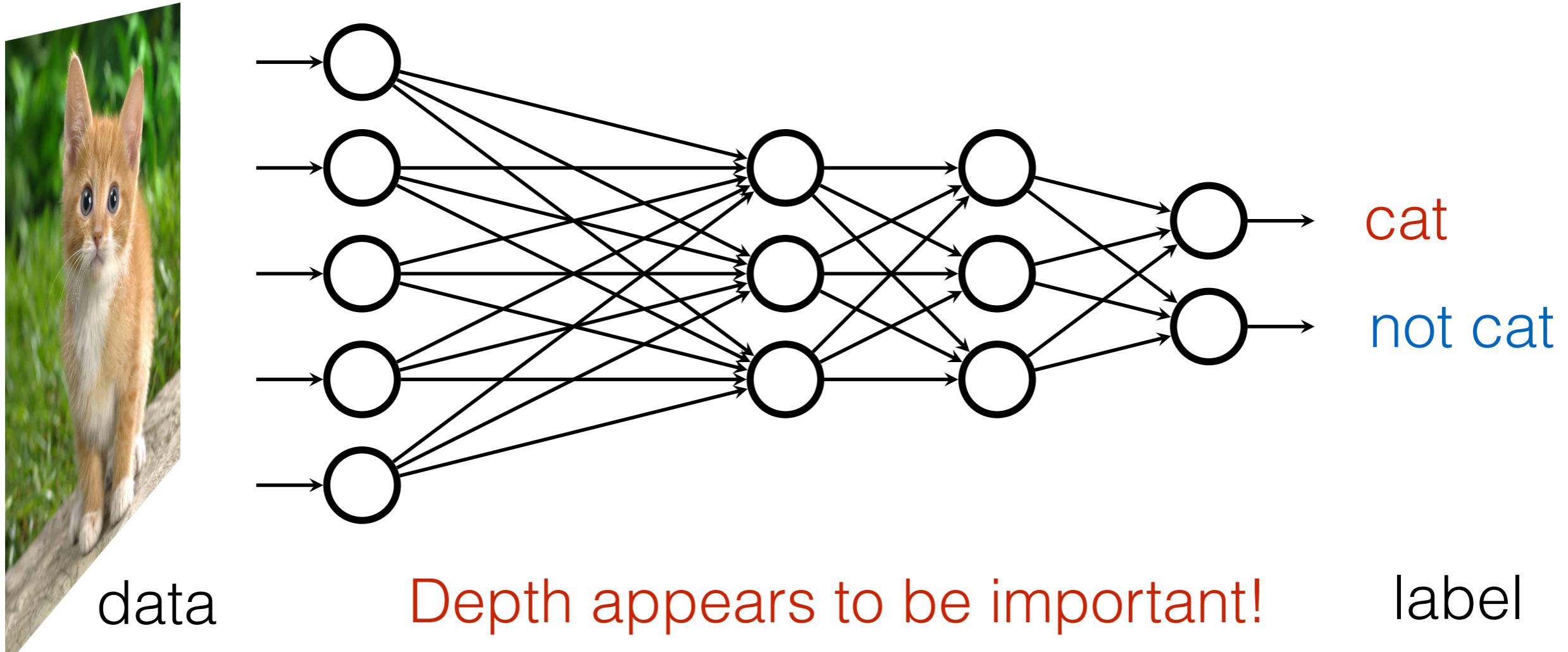


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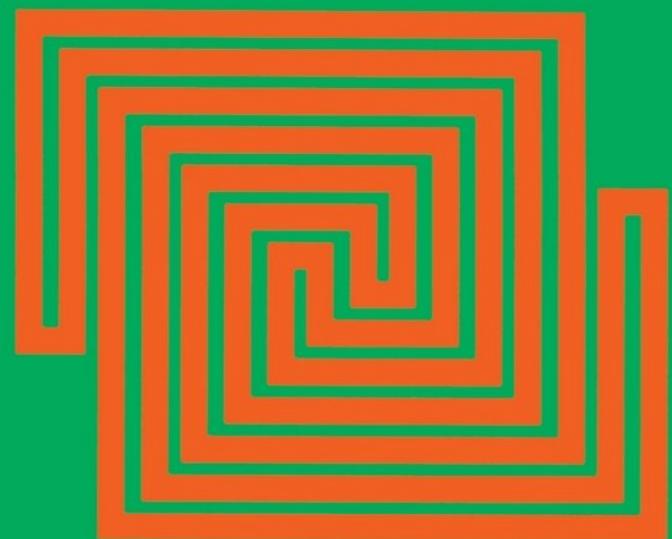
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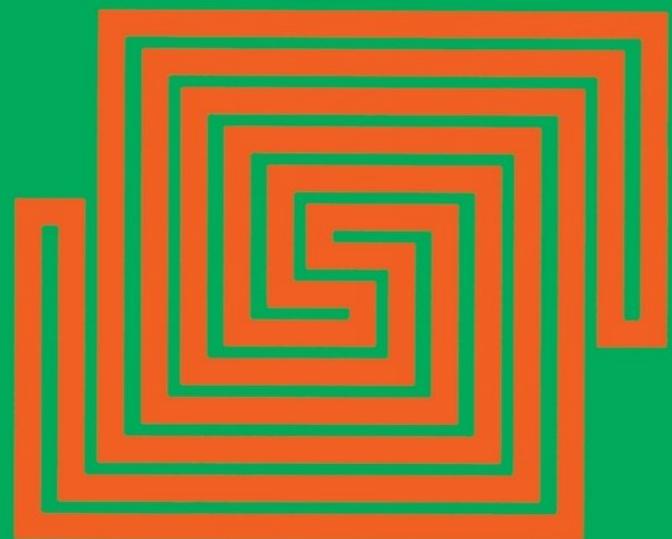
**Q: Why does deep learning work?**

**A: Law of physics: symmetry, locality, compositionality, renormalization group, and quantum entanglement.**

Expanded Edition



# Perceptrons



Marvin L. Minsky  
Seymour A. Papert

1st edition 1969  
expanded 1972  
commented 1988

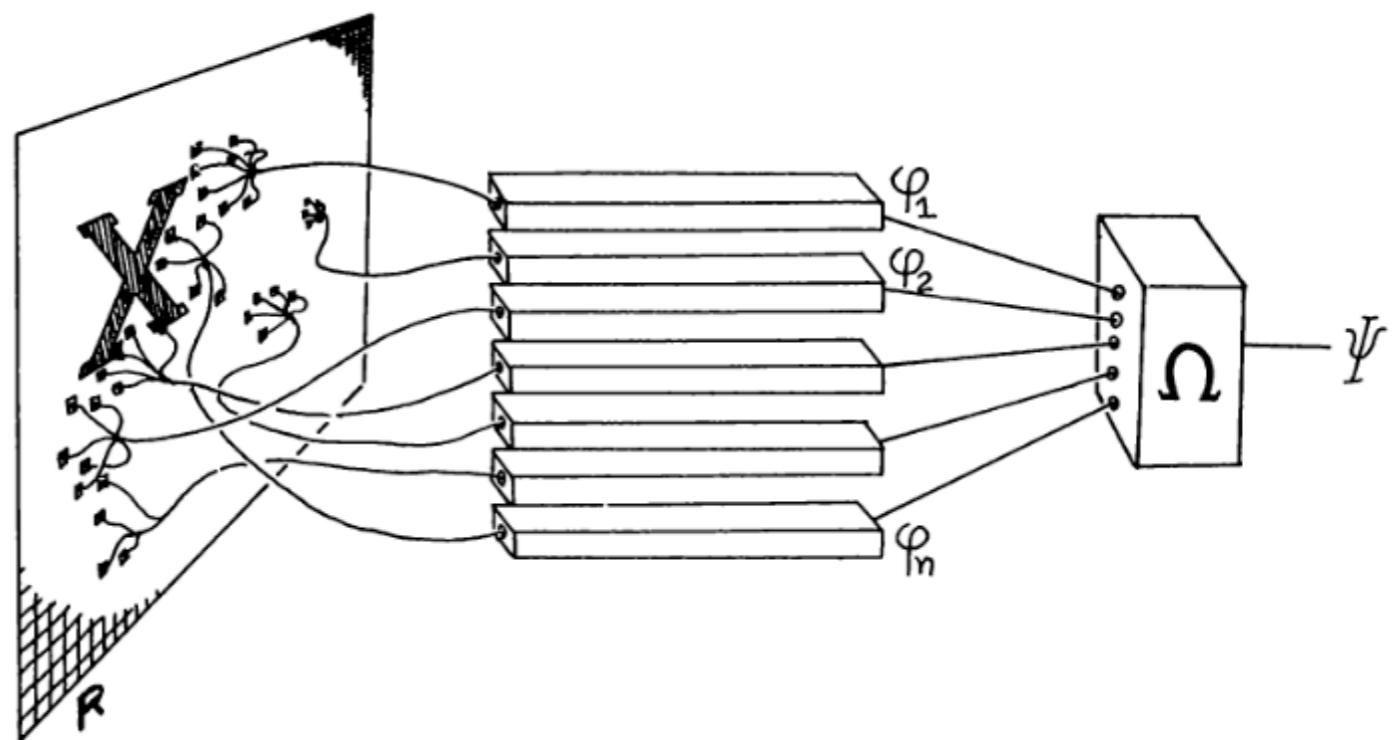
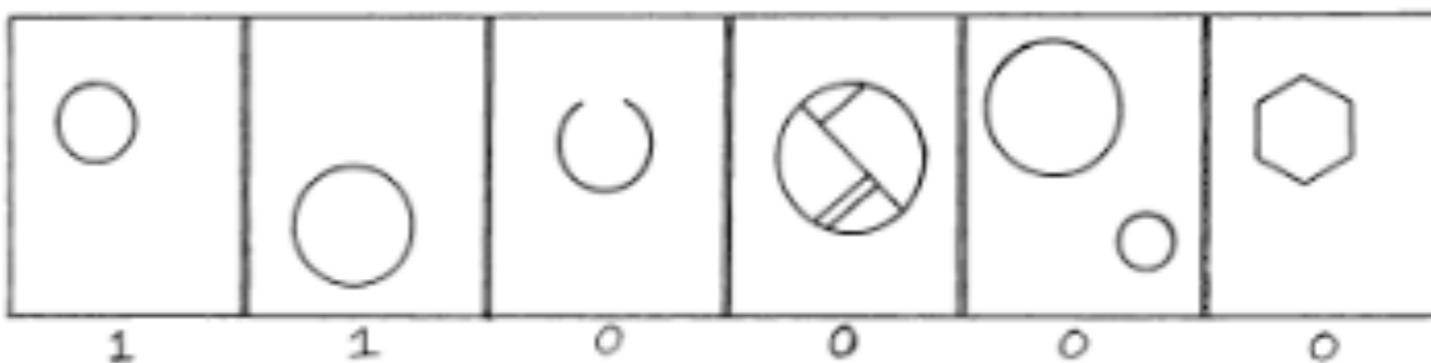


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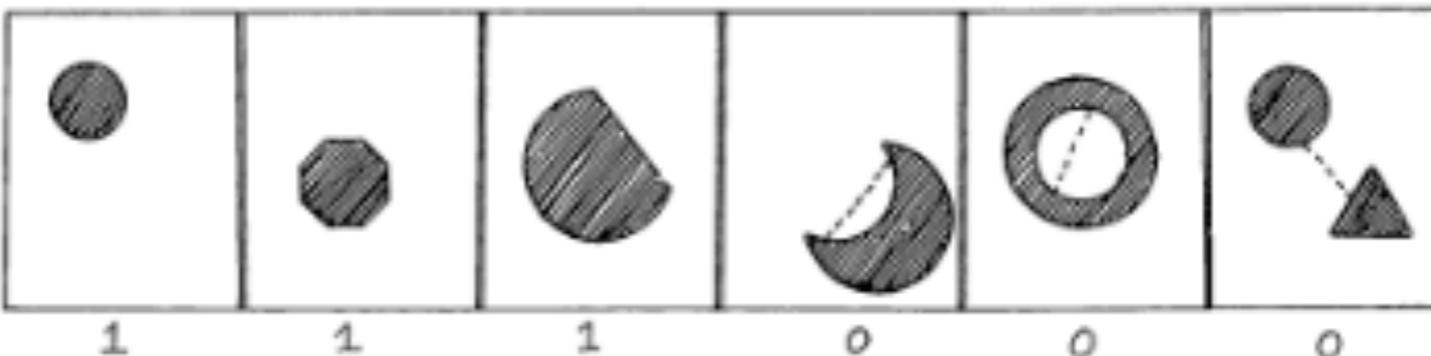
### 0.3 Cybernetics and Romanticism

Our discussion will include some rather sharp criticisms of earlier work in this area. Perceptrons have been widely publicized as “pattern recognition” or “learning” machines and as such have been discussed in a large number of books, journal articles, and voluminous “reports.” Most of this writing (some exceptions are mentioned in our bibliography) is without scientific value and we will not usually refer by name to the works we criticize. The sciences of computation and cybernetics began, and it seems quite rightly so, with a certain flourish of romanticism. They were laden with attractive and exciting new ideas which have already borne rich fruit. Heavy demands of rigor and caution could have held this development to a much slower pace; only the future could tell which directions were to be the best. We feel, in fact, that the solemn experts who most complained about the “exaggerated claims” of the cybernetic enthusiasts were, in the balance, much more in the wrong. But now the time has come for maturity, and this requires us to match our speculative enterprise with equally imaginative standards of criticism.

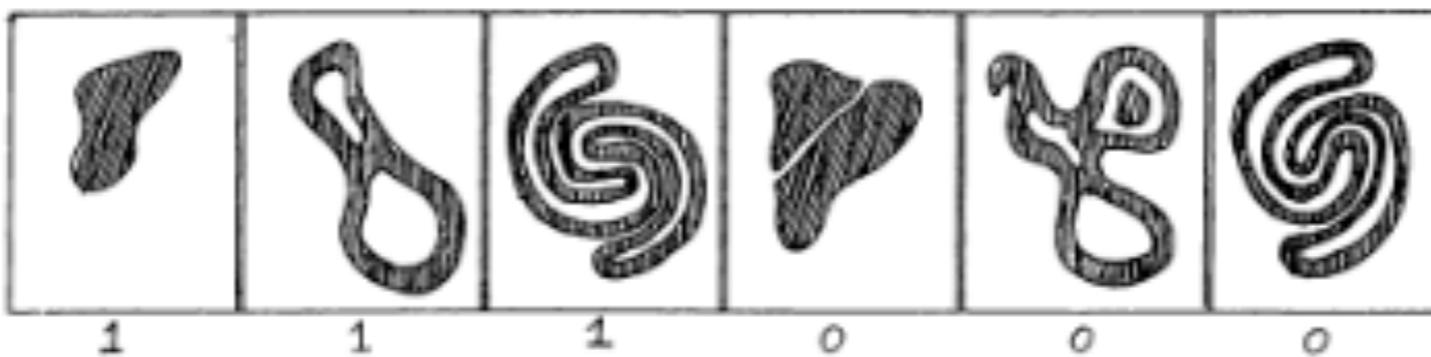
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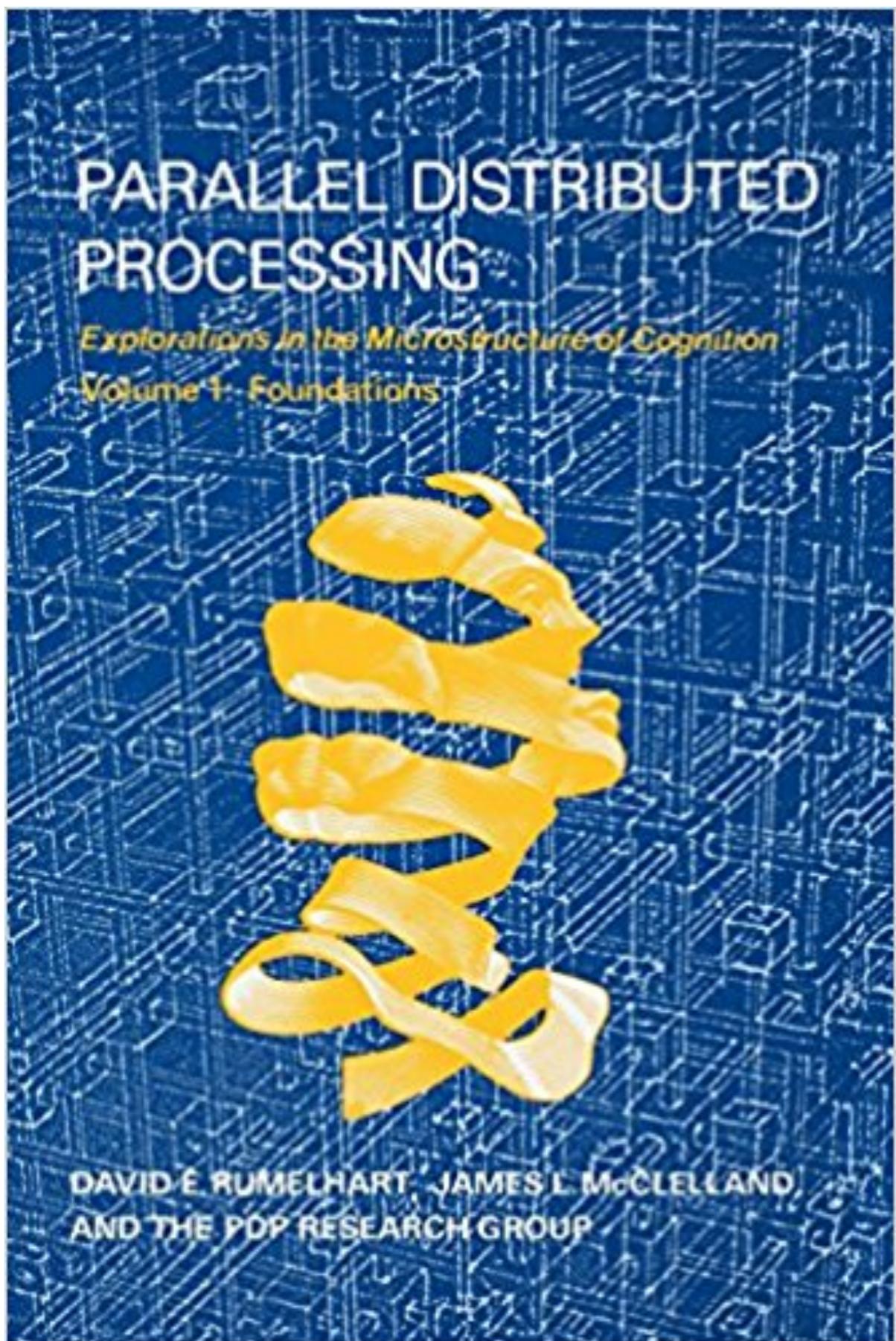


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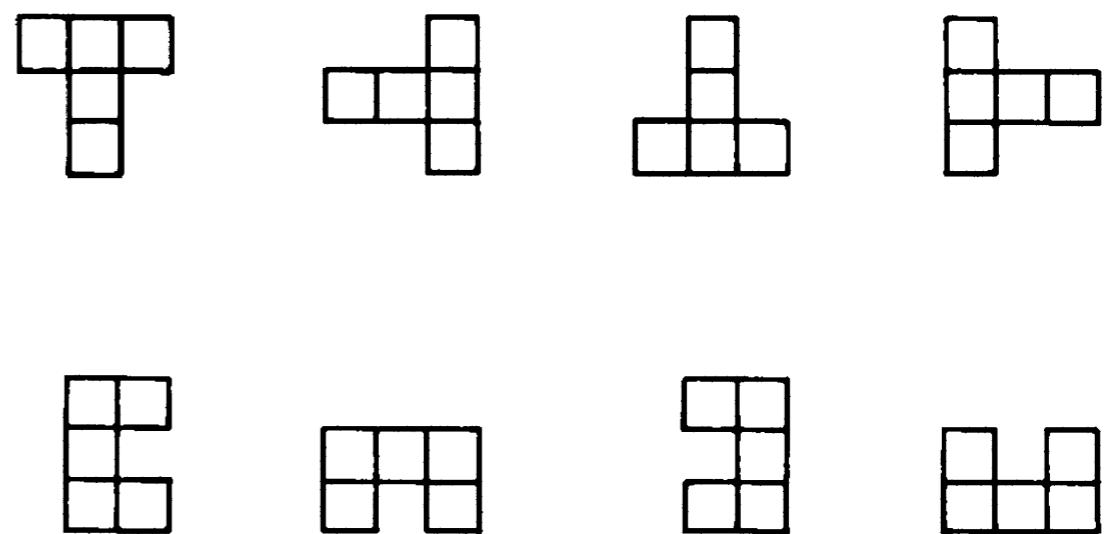
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## “Manifesto of Connectionism”

1988

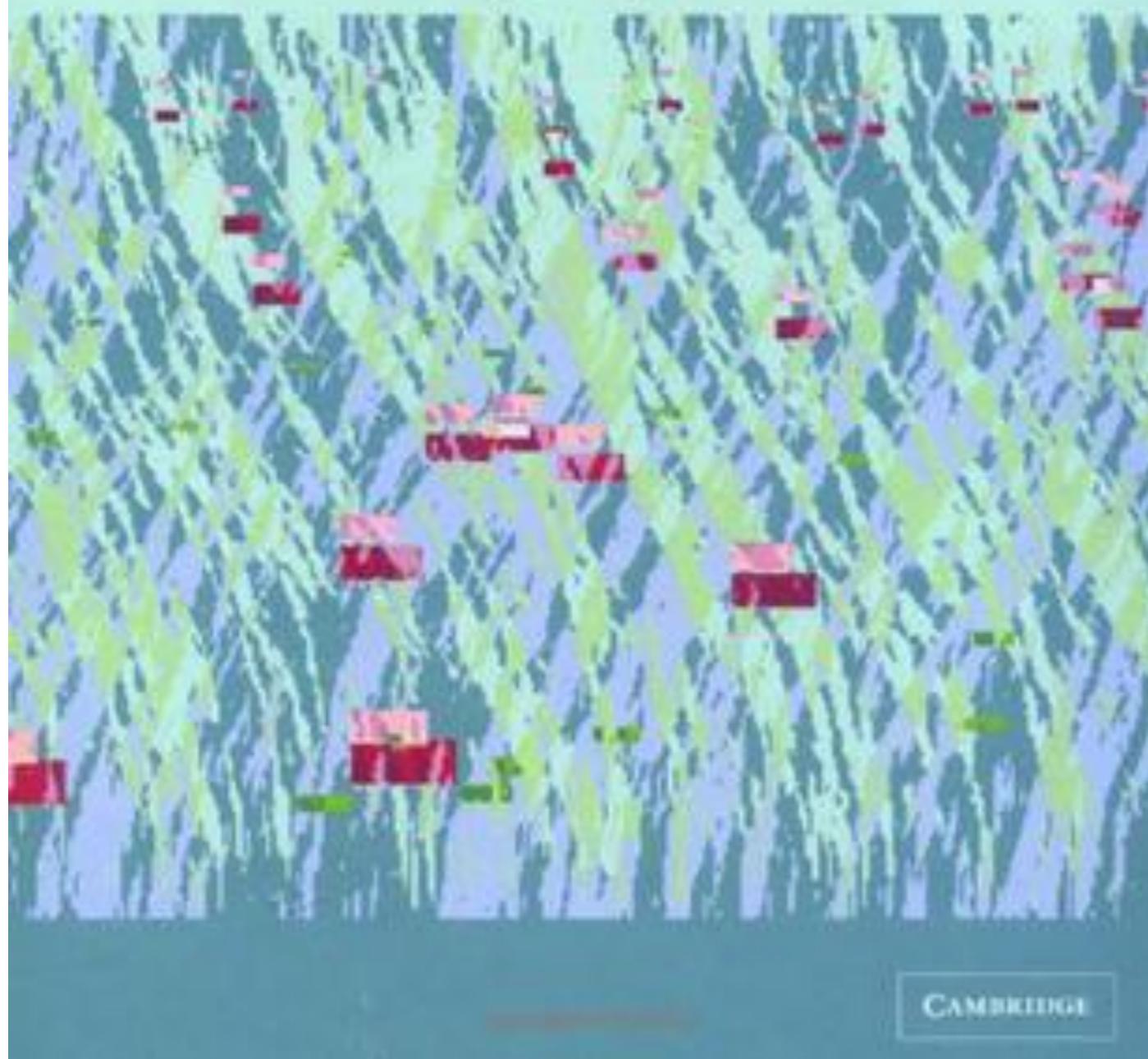


“T-C Problem”

Contains many interesting experiments & theories on toy problems and foundational thoughts by the pioneers

David J. C. MacKay

# Information Theory, Inference, and Learning Algorithms



**Insightful, fun to read**

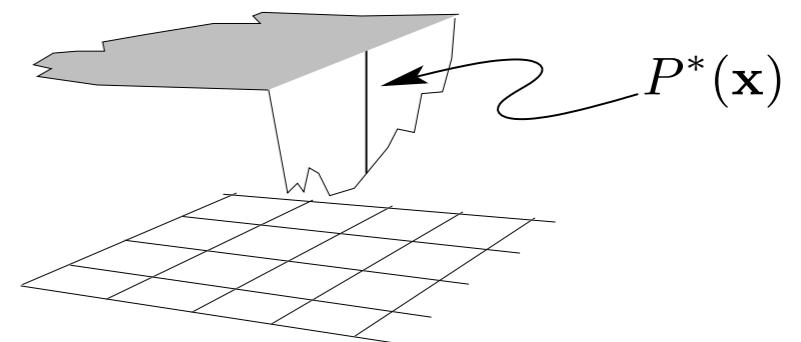


Figure 29.2. A lake whose depth at  $\mathbf{x} = (x, y)$  is  $P^*(\mathbf{x})$ .

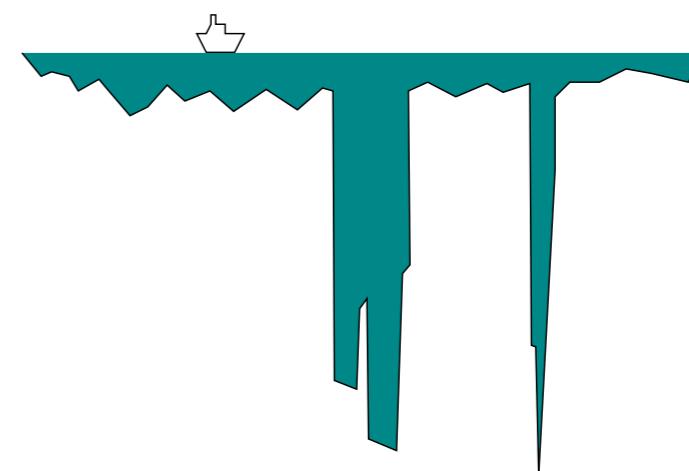
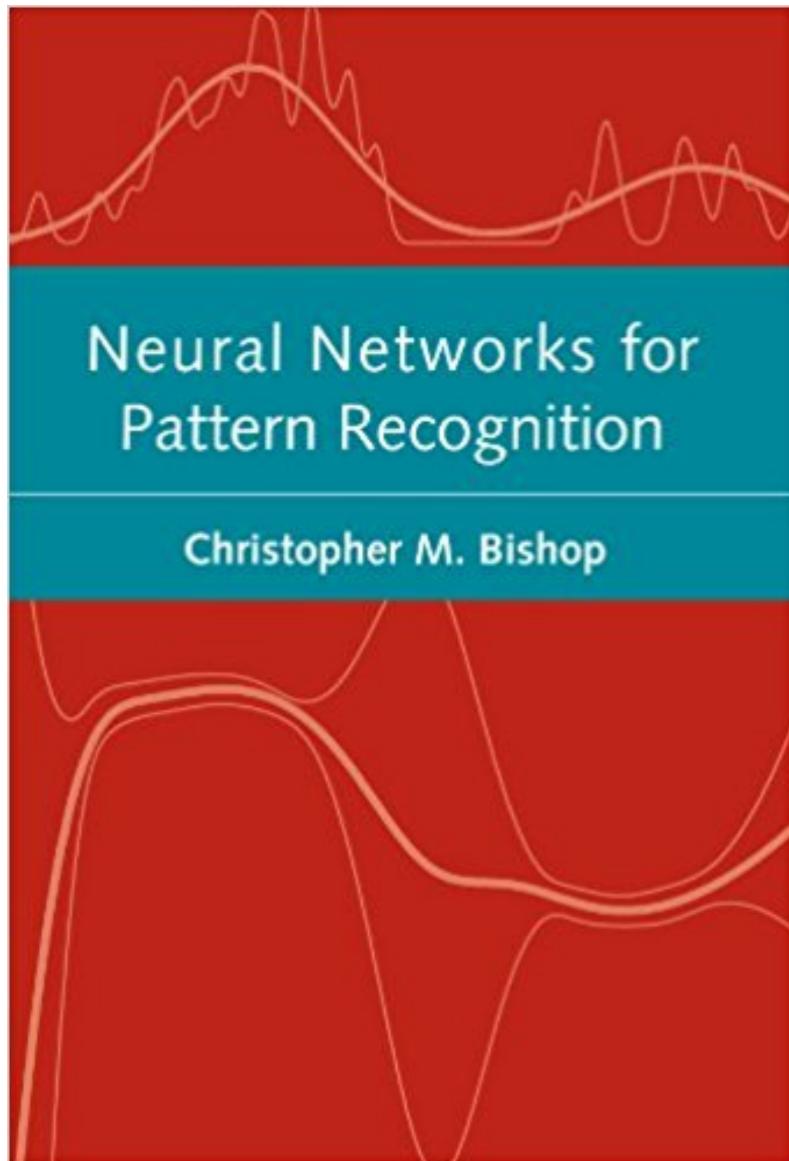


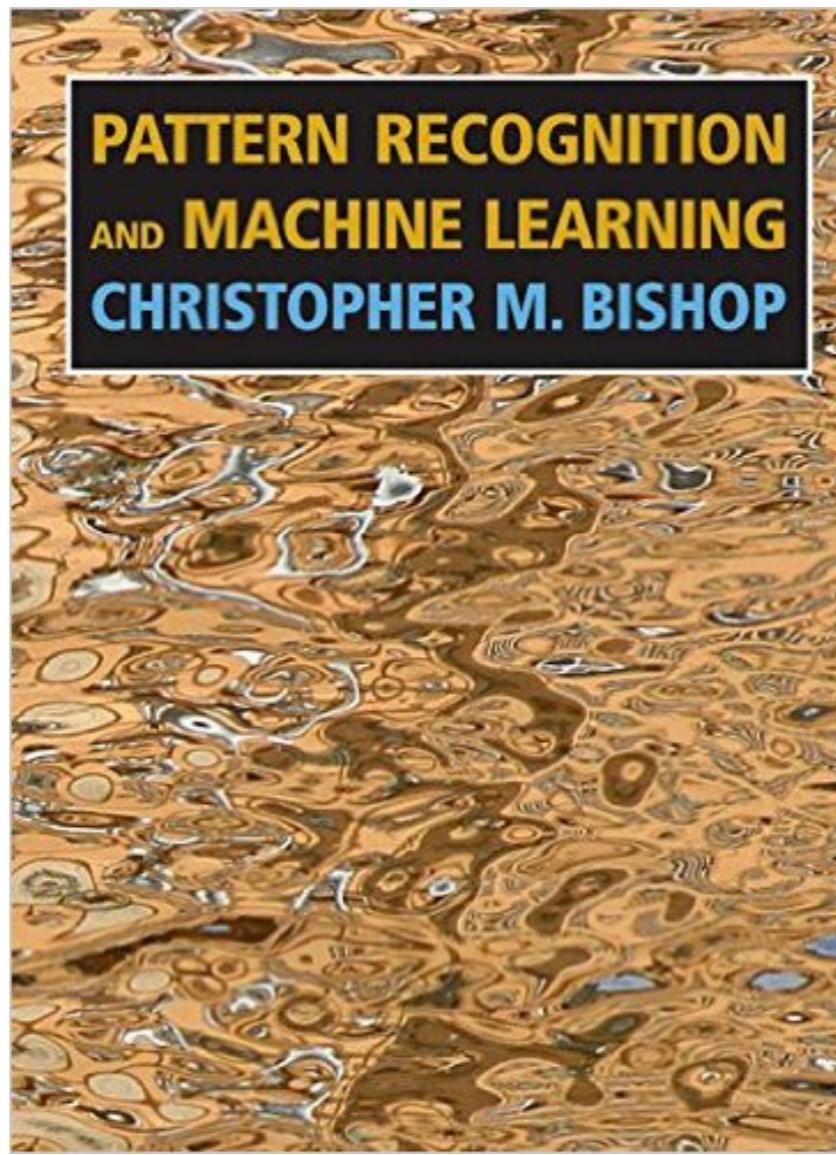
Figure 29.3. A slice through a lake that includes some canyons.

# Modern textbooks

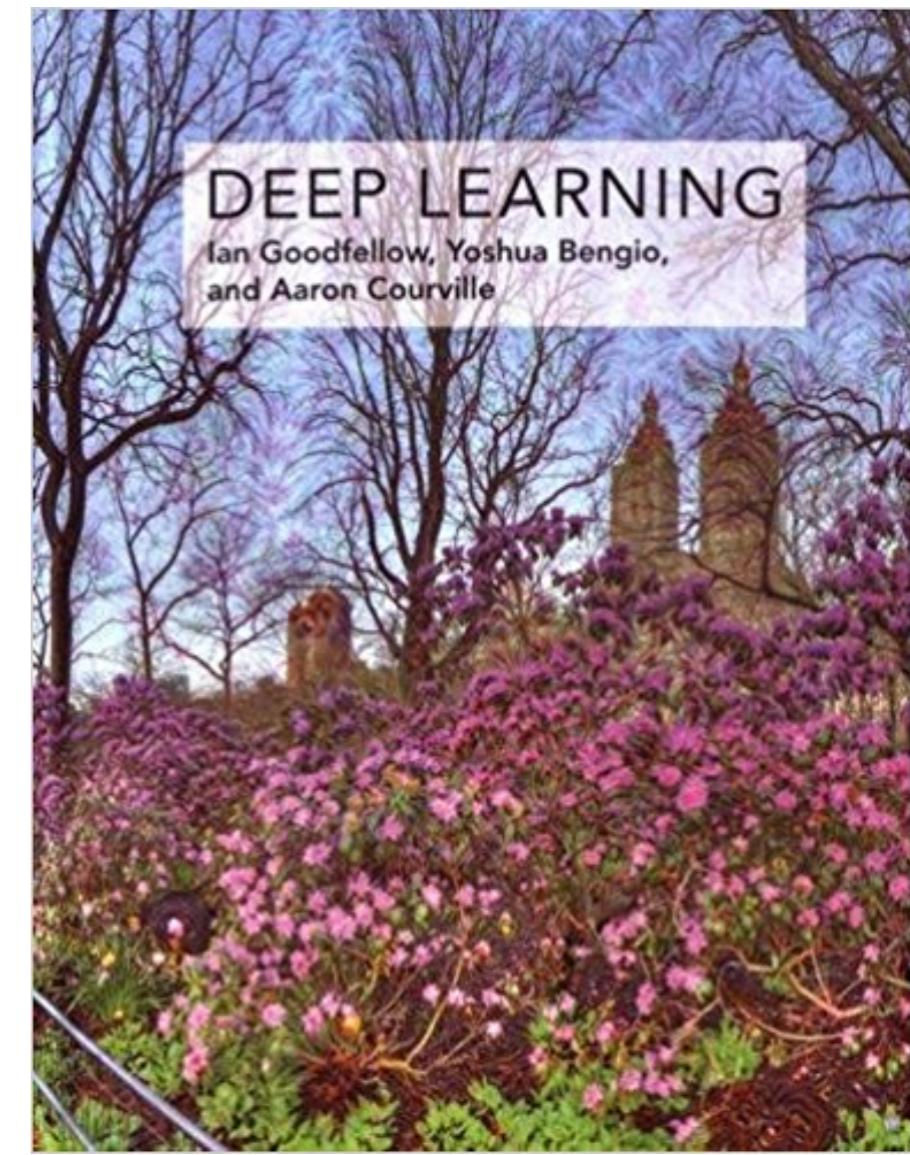
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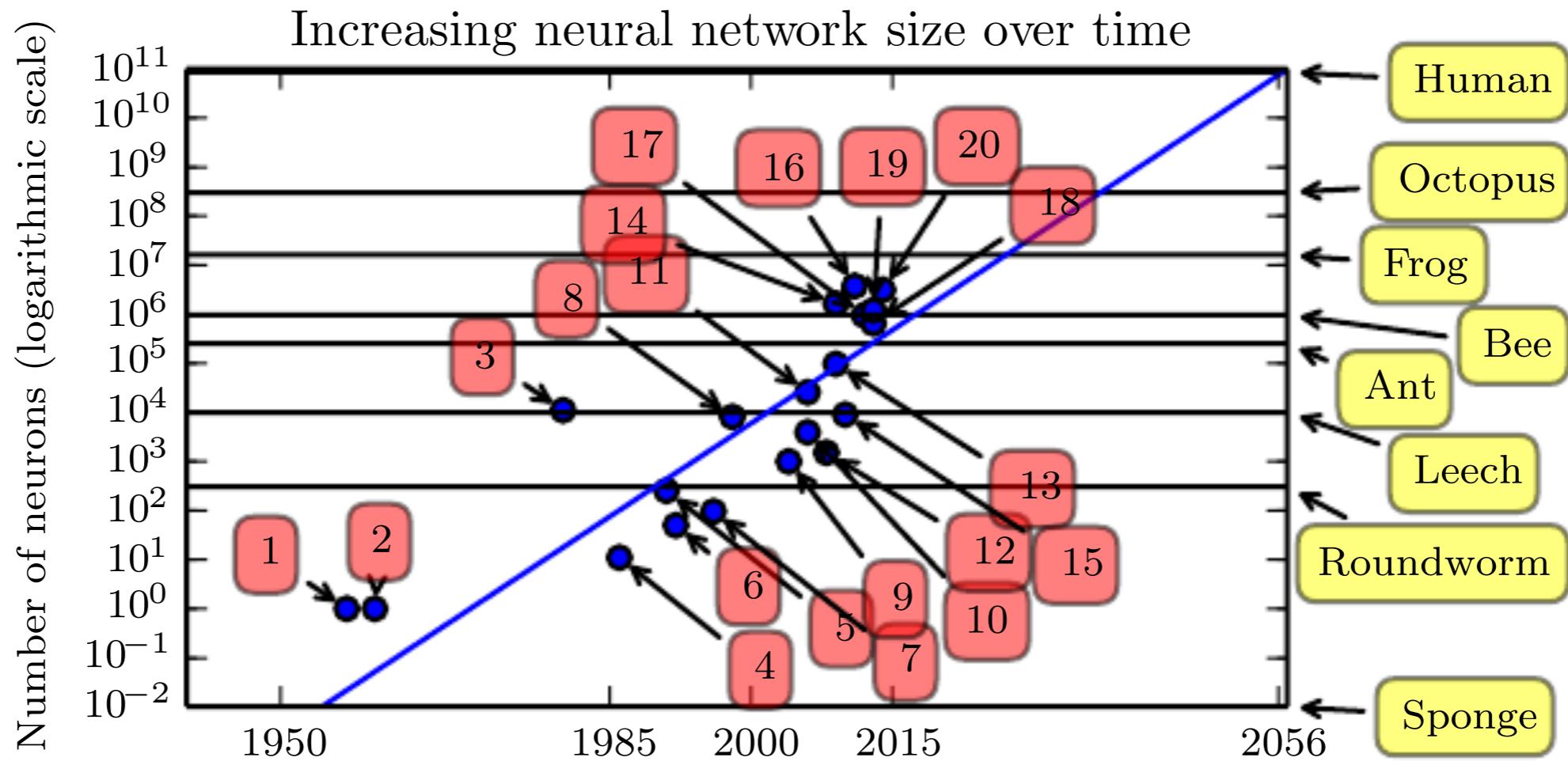


Figure 1.11: Since the introduction of hidden units, artificial neural networks have doubled in size roughly every 2.4 years. Biological neural network sizes from [Wikipedia \(2015\)](#).

1. Perceptron ([Rosenblatt, 1958, 1962](#))
2. Adaptive linear element ([Widrow and Hoff, 1960](#))
3. Neocognitron ([Fukushima, 1980](#))
4. Early back-propagation network ([Rumelhart \*et al.\*, 1986b](#))
5. Recurrent neural network for speech recognition ([Robinson and Fallside, 1986b](#))
6. Multilayer perceptron for speech recognition ([Bengio \*et al.\*, 1991](#))
7. Mean field sigmoid belief network ([Saul \*et al.\*, 1996](#))
8. LeNet-5 ([LeCun \*et al.\*, 1998b](#))
9. Echo state network ([Jaeger and Haas, 2004](#))
10. Deep belief network ([Hinton \*et al.\*, 2006](#))
11. GPU-accelerated convolutional network ([Chellapilla \*et al.\*, 2006](#))
12. Deep Boltzmann machine ([Salakhutdinov and Hinton, 2009a](#))
13. GPU-accelerated deep belief network ([Raina \*et al.\*, 2009](#))
14. Unsupervised convolutional network ([Jarrett \*et al.\*, 2009](#))
15. GPU-accelerated multilayer perceptron ([Ciresan \*et al.\*, 2010](#))
16. OMP-1 network ([Coates and Ng, 2011](#))
17. Distributed autoencoder ([Le \*et al.\*, 2012](#))
18. Multi-GPU convolutional network ([Krizhevsky \*et al.\*, 2012](#))
19. COTS HPC unsupervised convolutional network ([Coates \*et al.\*, 2013](#))
20. GoogLeNet ([Szegedy \*et al.\*, 2014a](#))

# Discriminative vs Generative Learning

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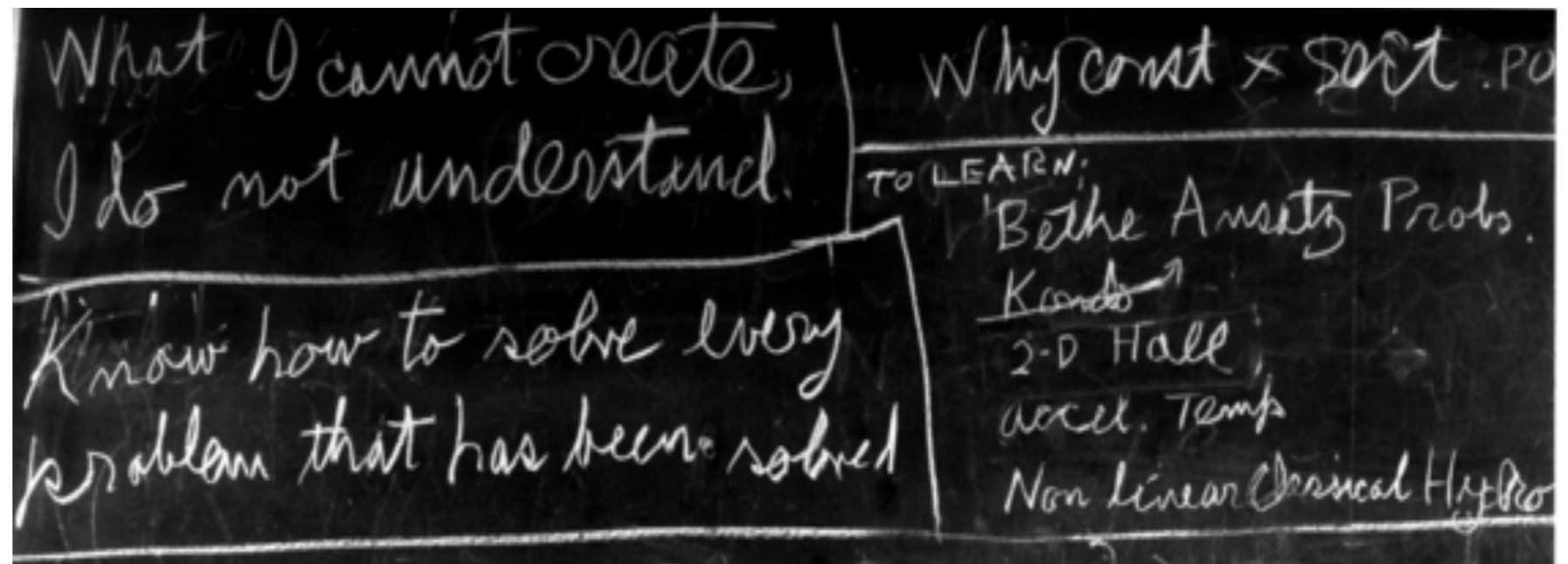
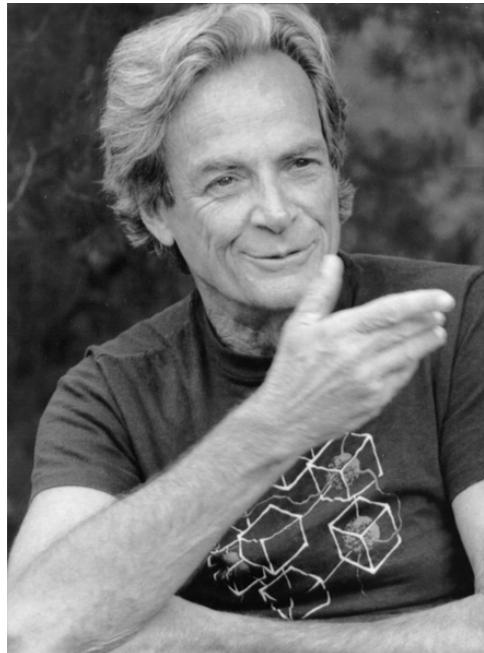


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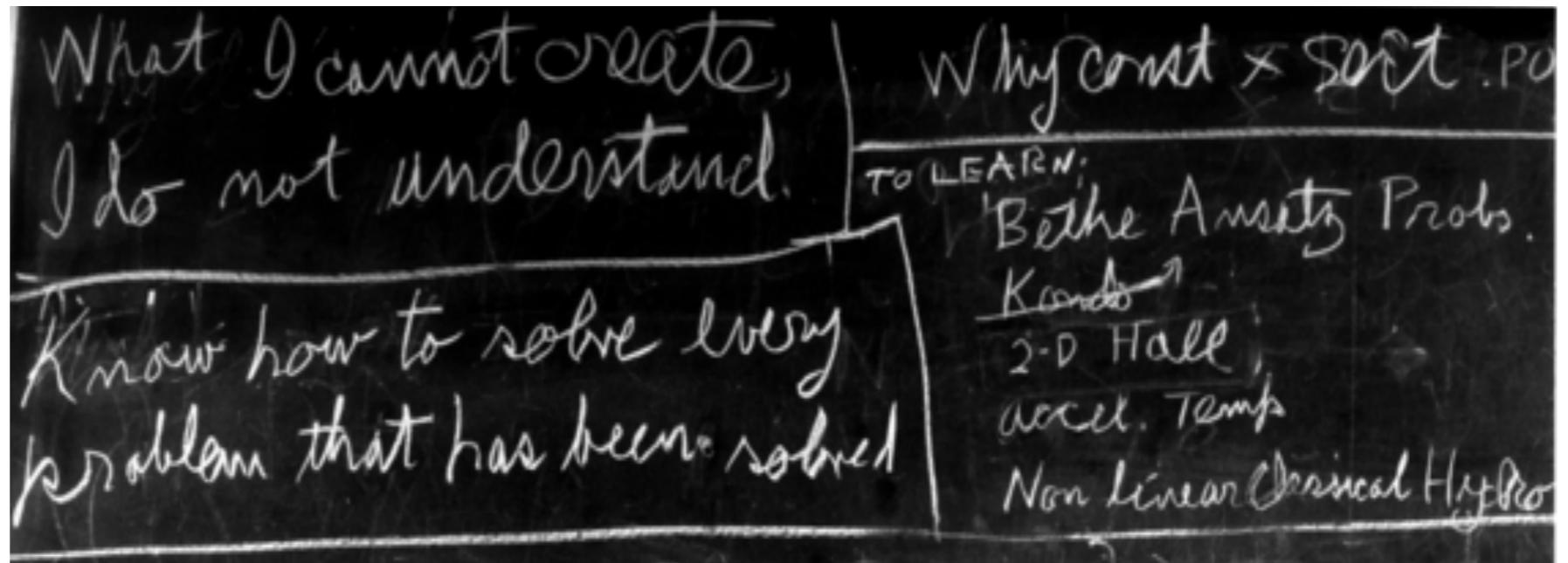
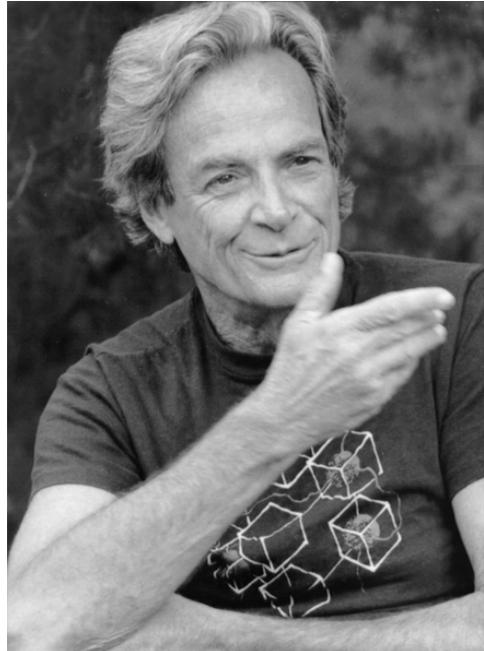
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# Discriminative vs Generative Learning



“What I can not create, I do not understand”

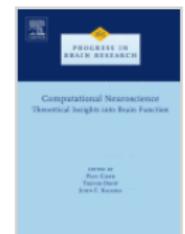
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Progress in Brain Research

Volume 165, 2007, Pages 535–547

Computational Neuroscience: Theoretical Insights into Brain Function

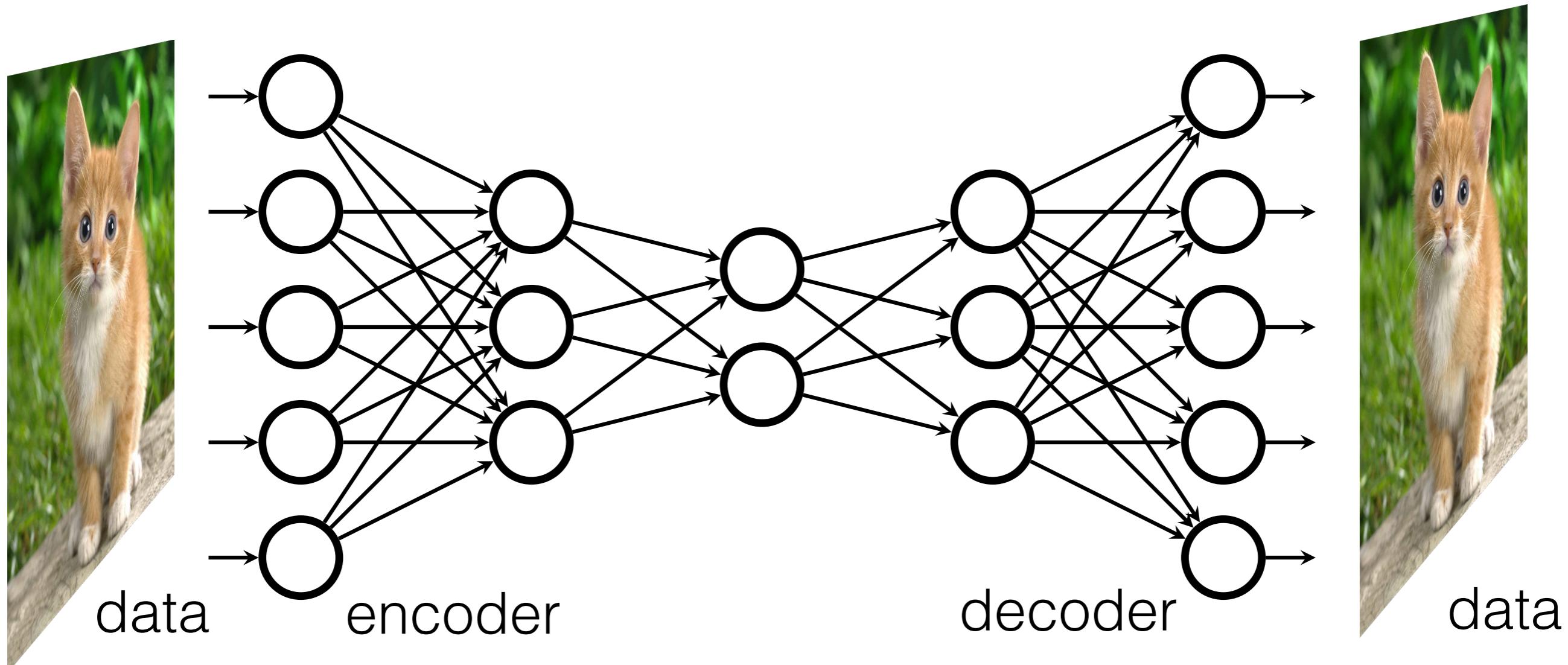


To recognize shapes, first learn to generate images

Geoffrey E. Hinton

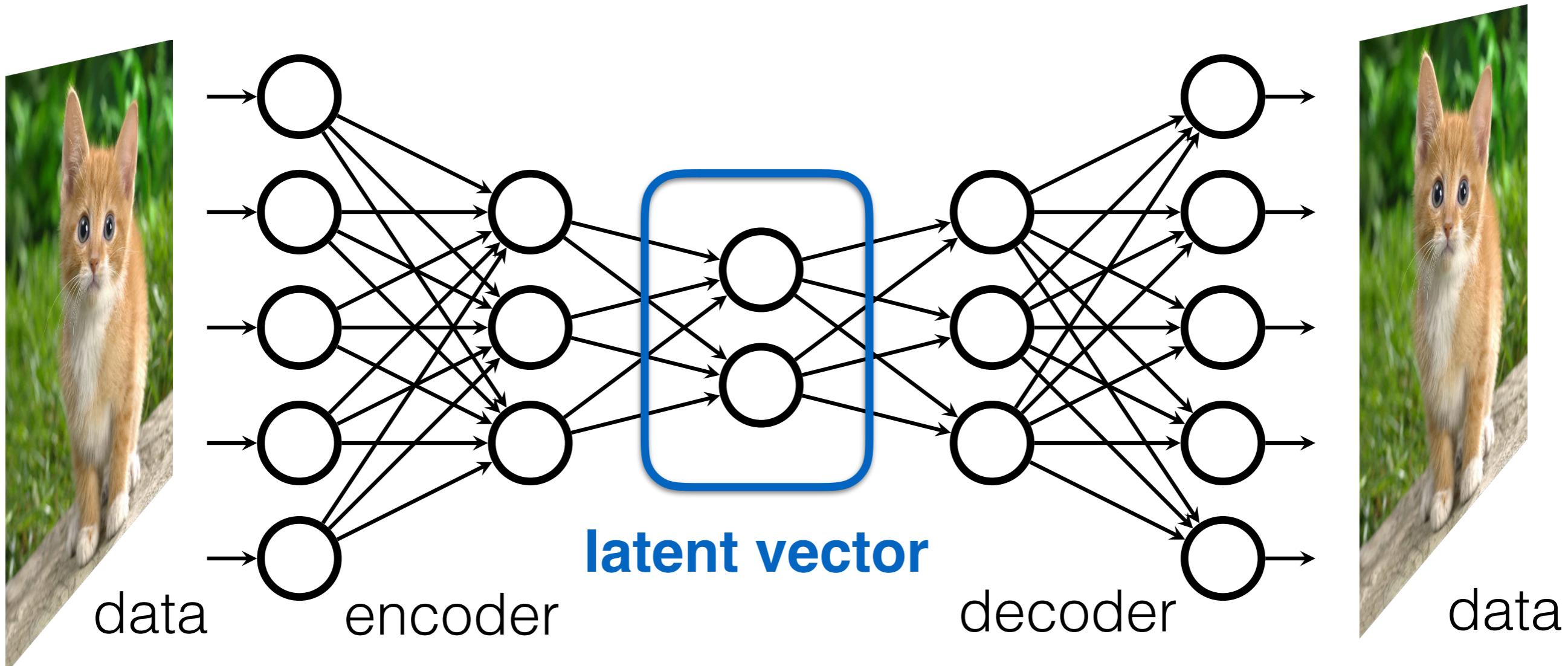
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# Generative Modeling



“Auto-Encoding Variational Bayes”, Kingma and Welling, 1312.6114

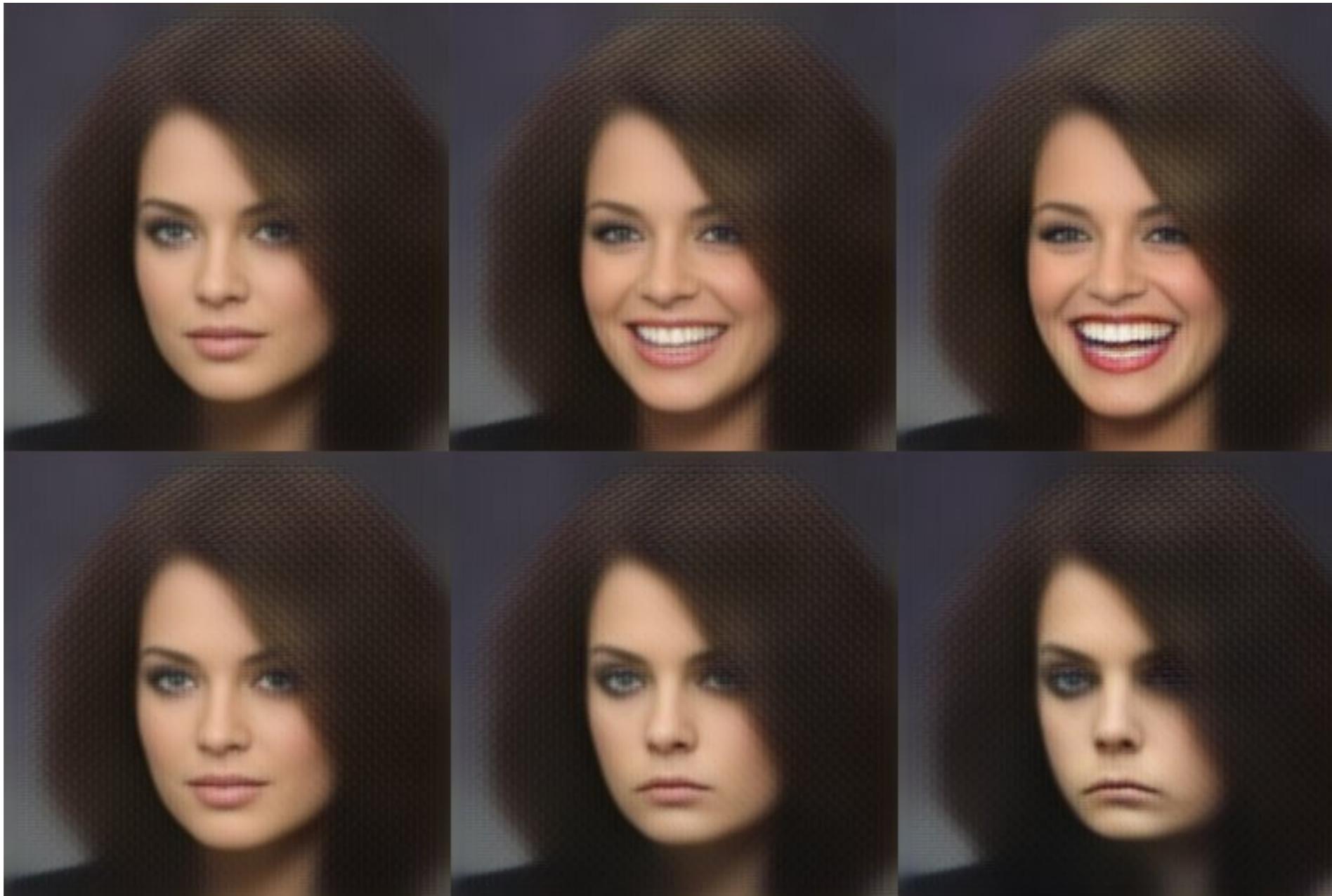
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# Latent space interpolation

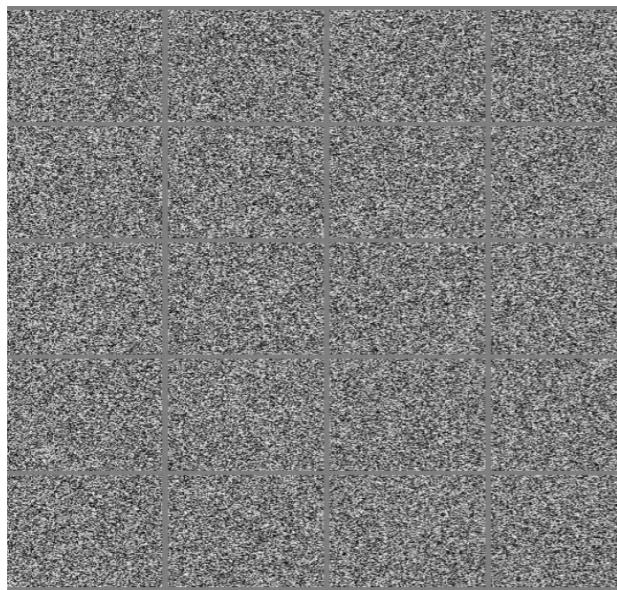
**arithmetics of the “smile vector”**



# Probabilistic Generative Modeling

$$p(\mathbf{x})$$

How to express, learn, and sample from a high dimensional probability distribution ?



“random” images

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“natural” images

# Probabilistic modeling

How to sample from a high dimensional distribution?

## DEEP LEARNING

Ian Goodfellow, Yoshua Bengio,  
and Aaron Courville

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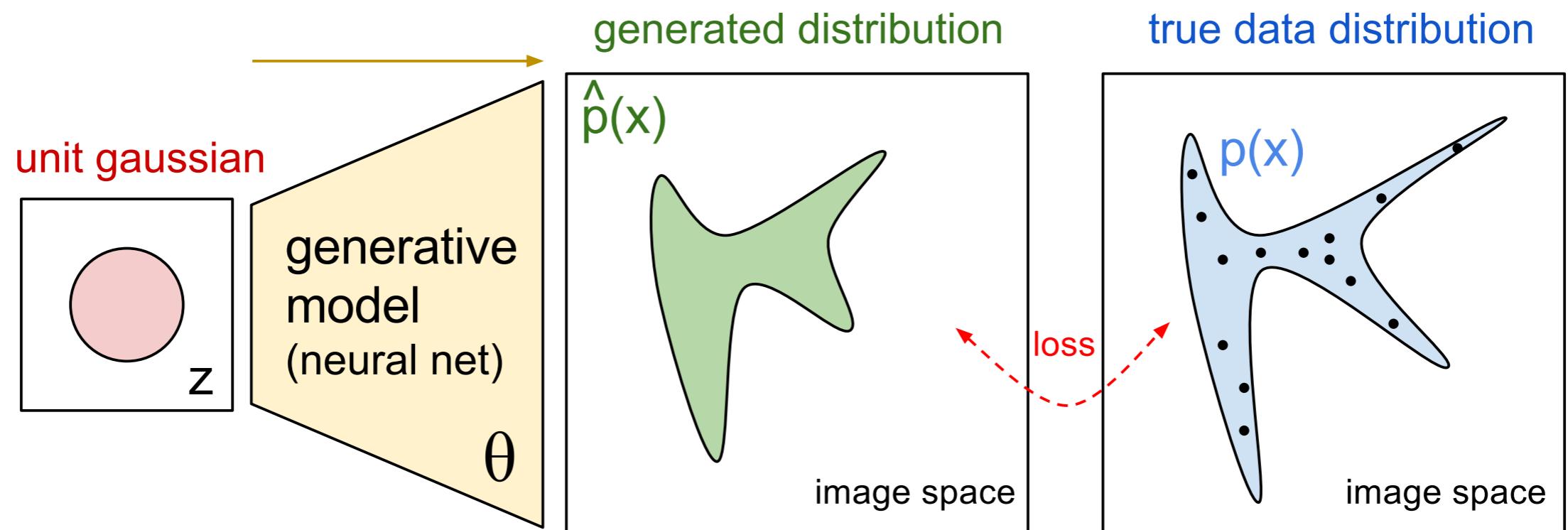
*“... the images encountered in AI applications occupy a negligible proportion of the volume of image space.”*

“random

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# Generative Modeling and Physics



“Boltzmann” Machines

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**statistical physics**

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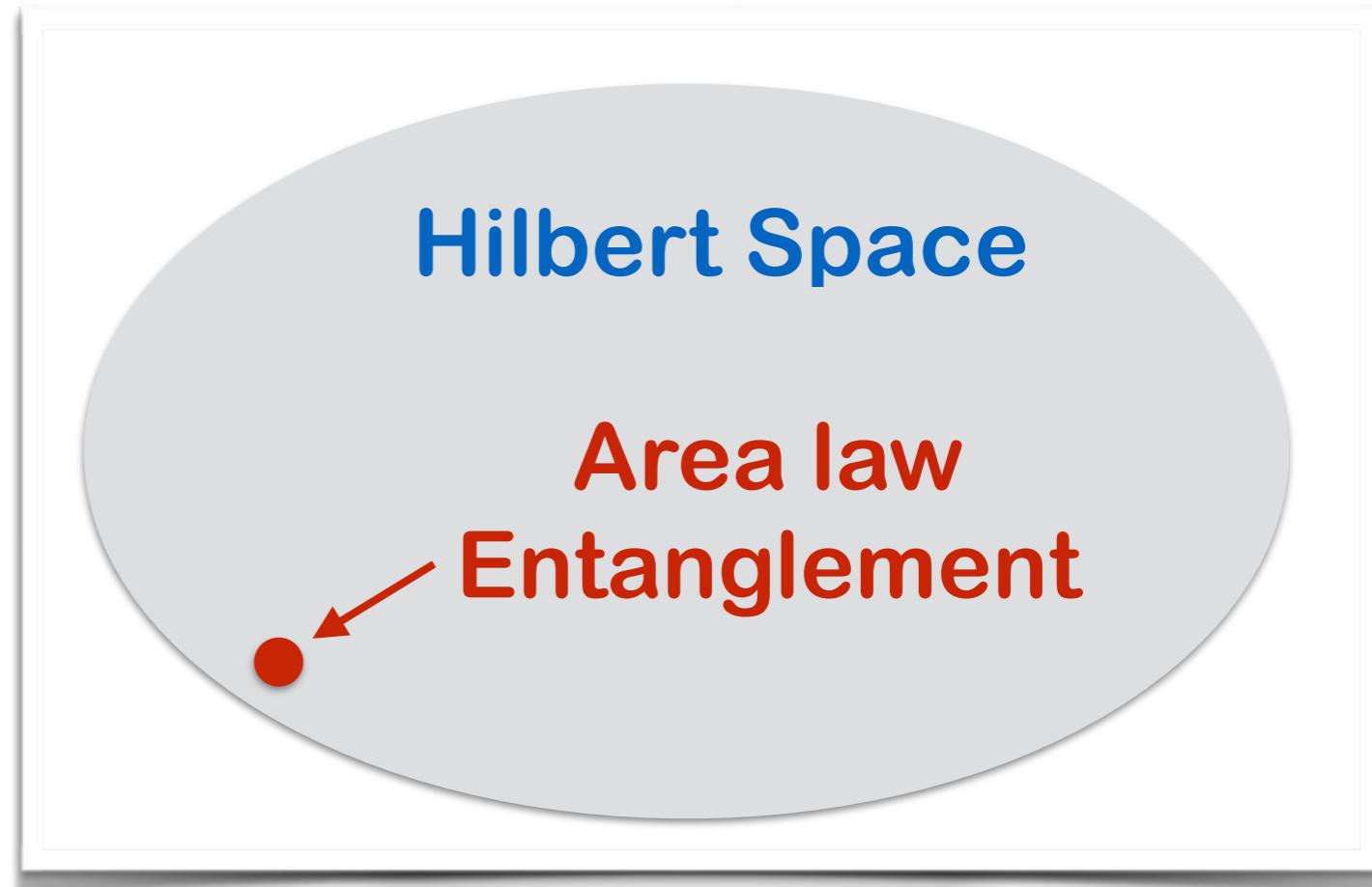
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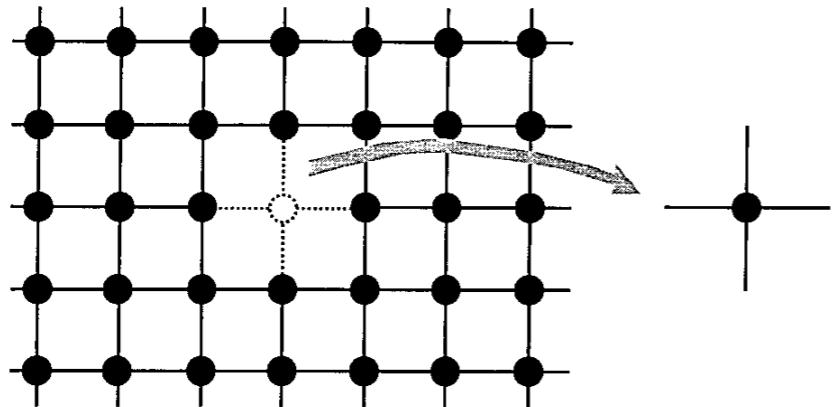
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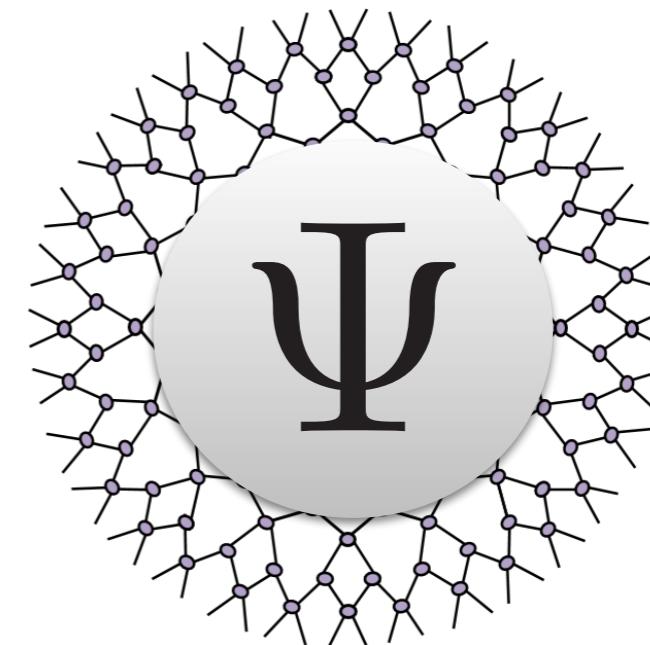
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# Physicists' gifts to ML

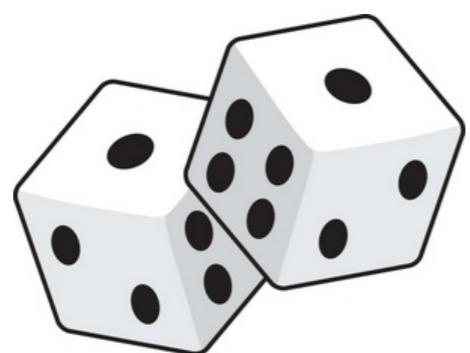
## Mean Field Theory



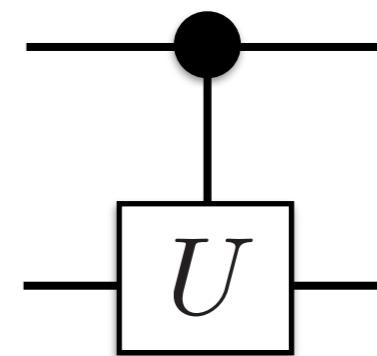
## Tensor Networks



## Monte Carlo Methods



## Quantum Computing

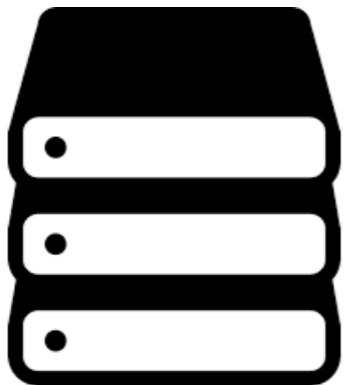


# Why machine learning for many-body physics ?

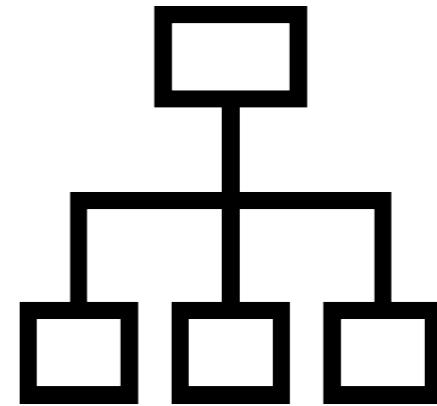
- Conceptual connections: a novel and natural way to think about (quantum) many-body systems
- Data driven approach: making scientific discovery based on big data
- Techniques: neural networks, kernel methods, pattern recognition, feature extraction, dimensional reduction, clustering analysis, probabilistic modeling, recommender systems, expectation maximization, variational inference, hardware acceleration, software frameworks...

# Four Pillars of Machine Learning

**Data**



**Model**



**Cost function**



**Optimization**

$\partial$

**Switch to blackboard**



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Quantum Systems, February 19-23 2018, Marburg

# Deep Learning and Quantum Many-Body Computation

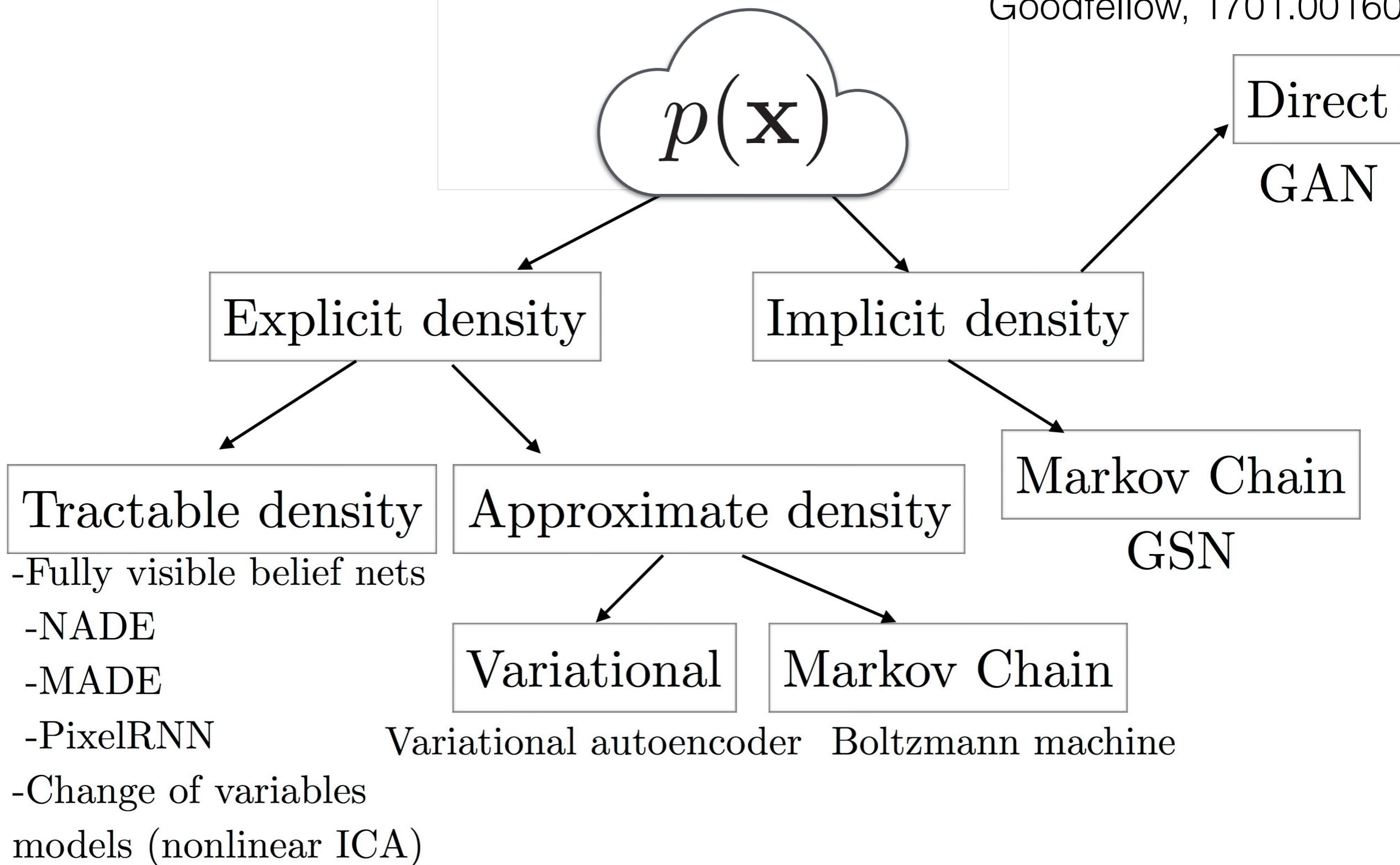
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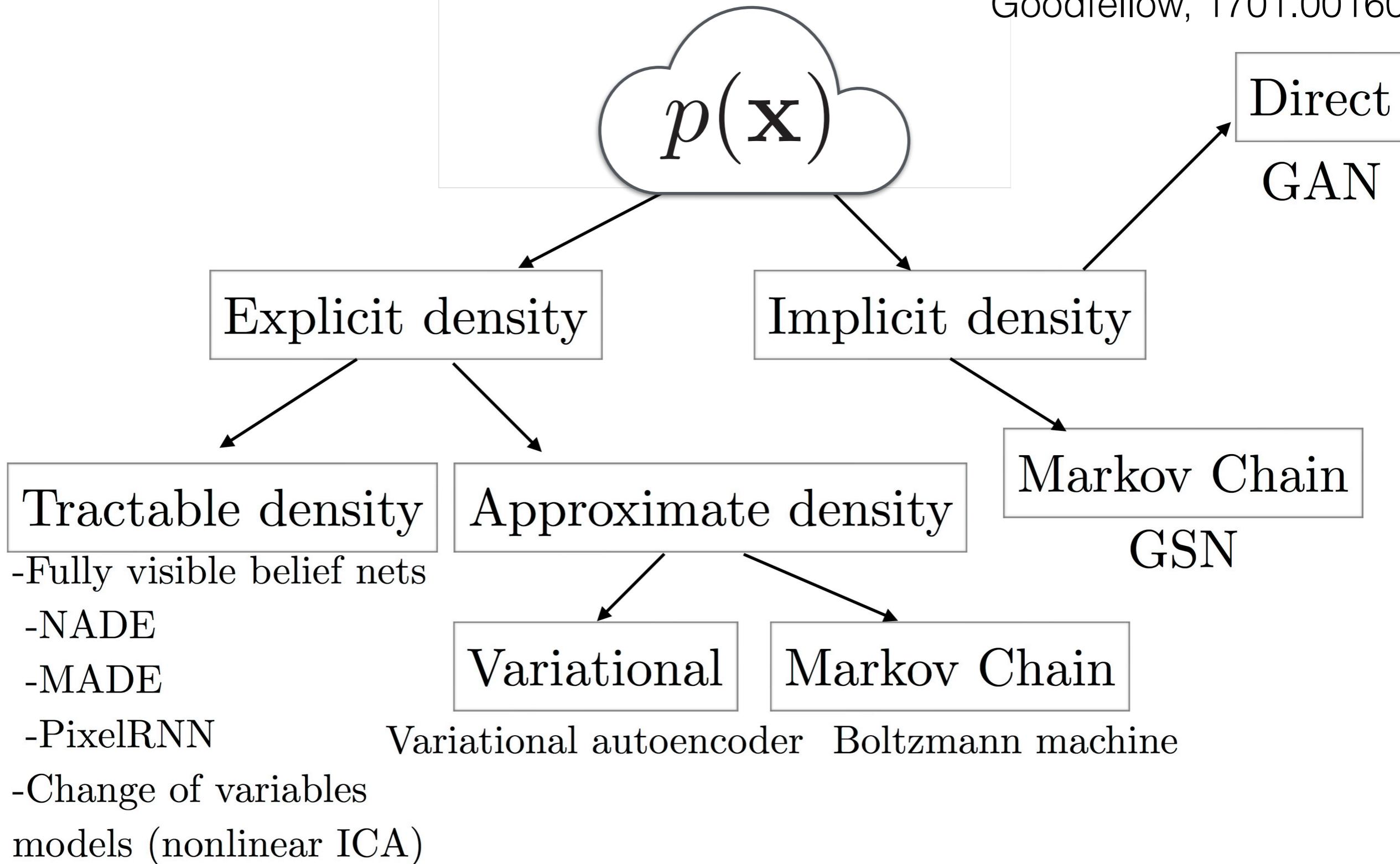
# Taxonomy of Generative Models

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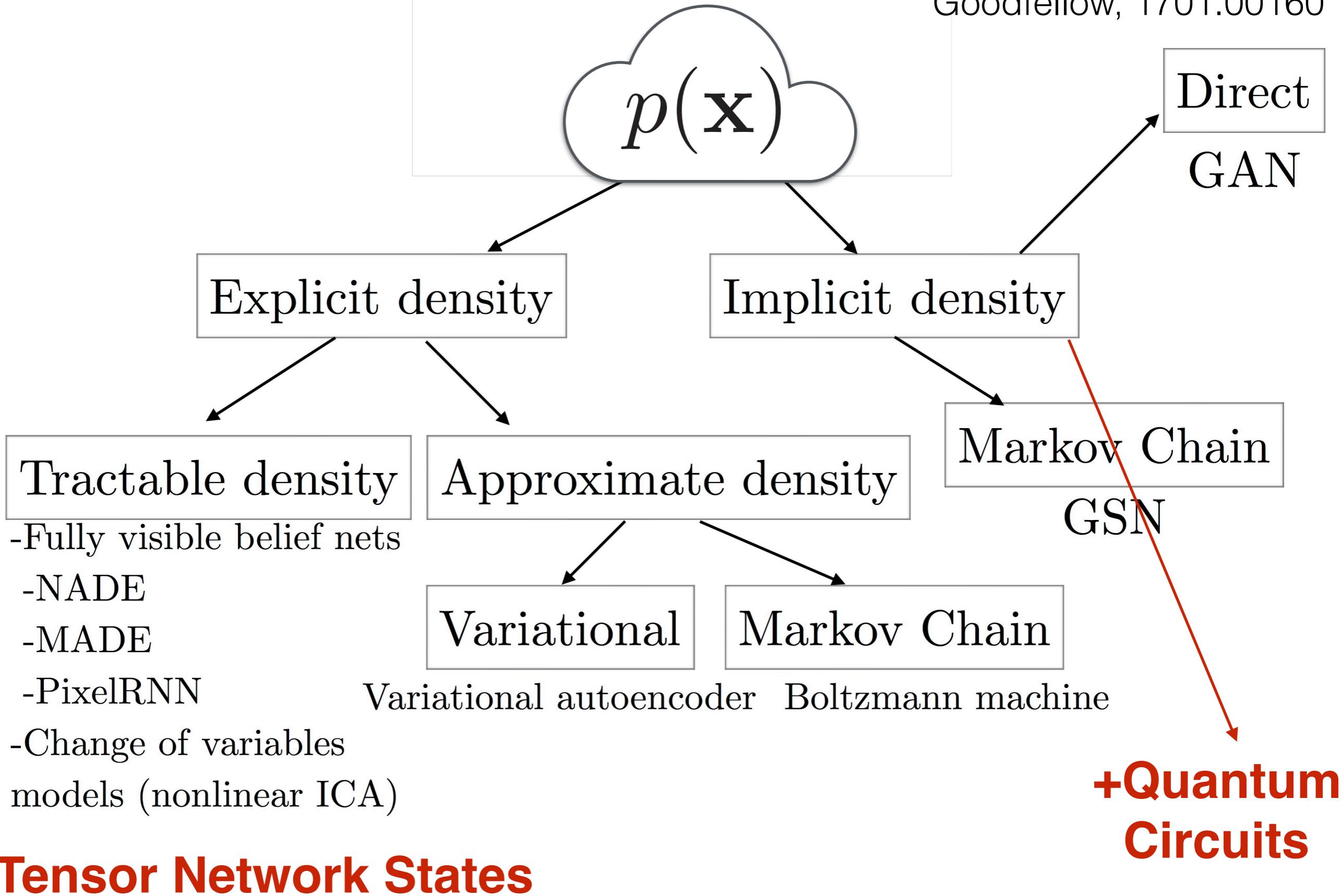
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+Tensor Network States

# Taxonomy of Generative Models

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# Lecture note <http://wangleiphy.github.io/lectures/DL.pdf>

Table 2: A summary of generative models and their salient features. Question marks mean generalizations are possible, but nontrivial.

Name	Training Cost	Data Space	Latent Space	Architecture	Sampling	Likelihood	Expressibility	Difficulty (Learn/Sample)
RBM	Log-likelihood	Arbitrary	Arbitrary	Bipartite	MCMC	Intractable partition function	★	💀/💀
DBM	ELBO	Arbitrary	Arbitrary	Bipartite	MCMC	Intractable partition function & posterior	★★★	💀/💀
Autoregressive Model	Log-likelihood	Arbitrary	None	Ordering	Sequential	Tractable	★★	💀/💀
Normalizing Flow	Log-likelihood	Continuous	Continuous, Same dimension as data	Bijector	Parallel	Tractable	★★	💀/💀
VAE	ELBO	Arbitrary	Continuous	Arbitrary?	Parallel	Intractable posterior	★★★	💀/💀
MPS/TTN	Log-likelihood	Arbitrary?	None or tree tensor	No loop	Sequential	Tractable	★★★	💀/💀
GAN	Adversarial	Continuous	Arbitrary?	Arbitrary	Parallel	Implicit	★★★★	💀/💀

# **WARNING**

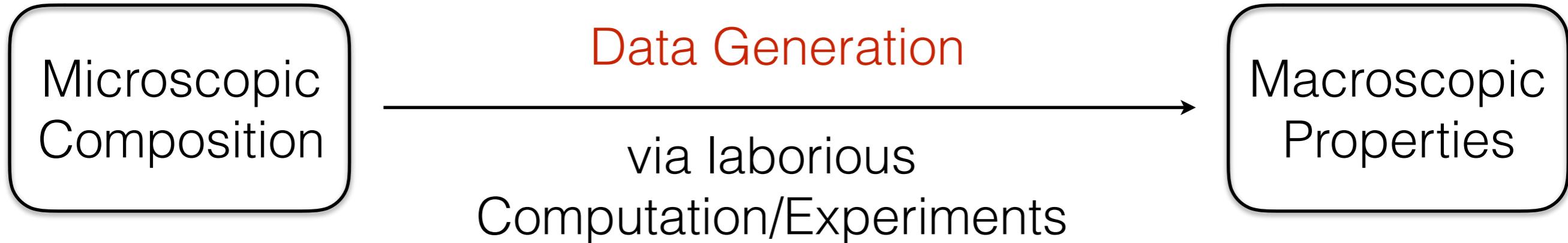
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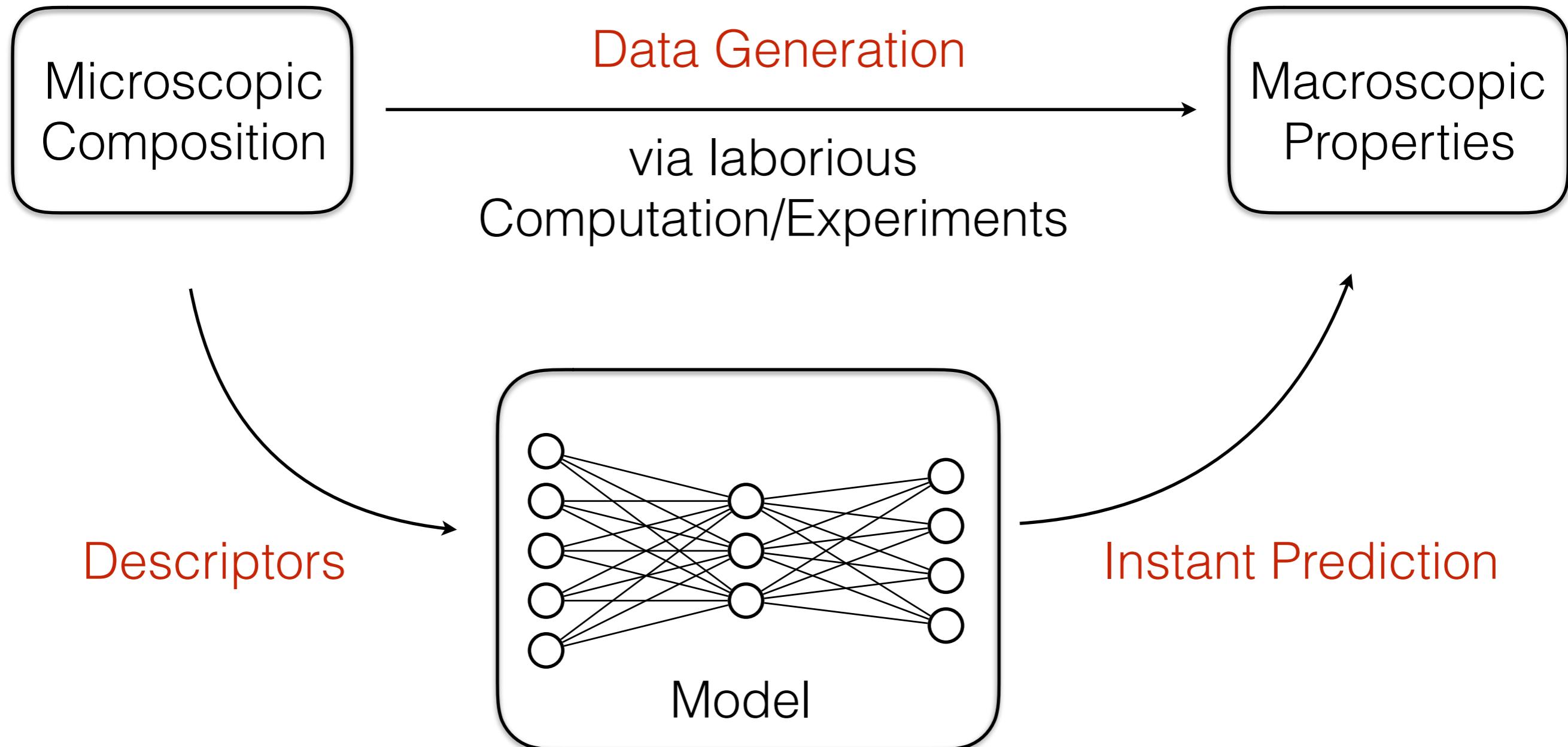
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*Material and Chemical  
Discovery*

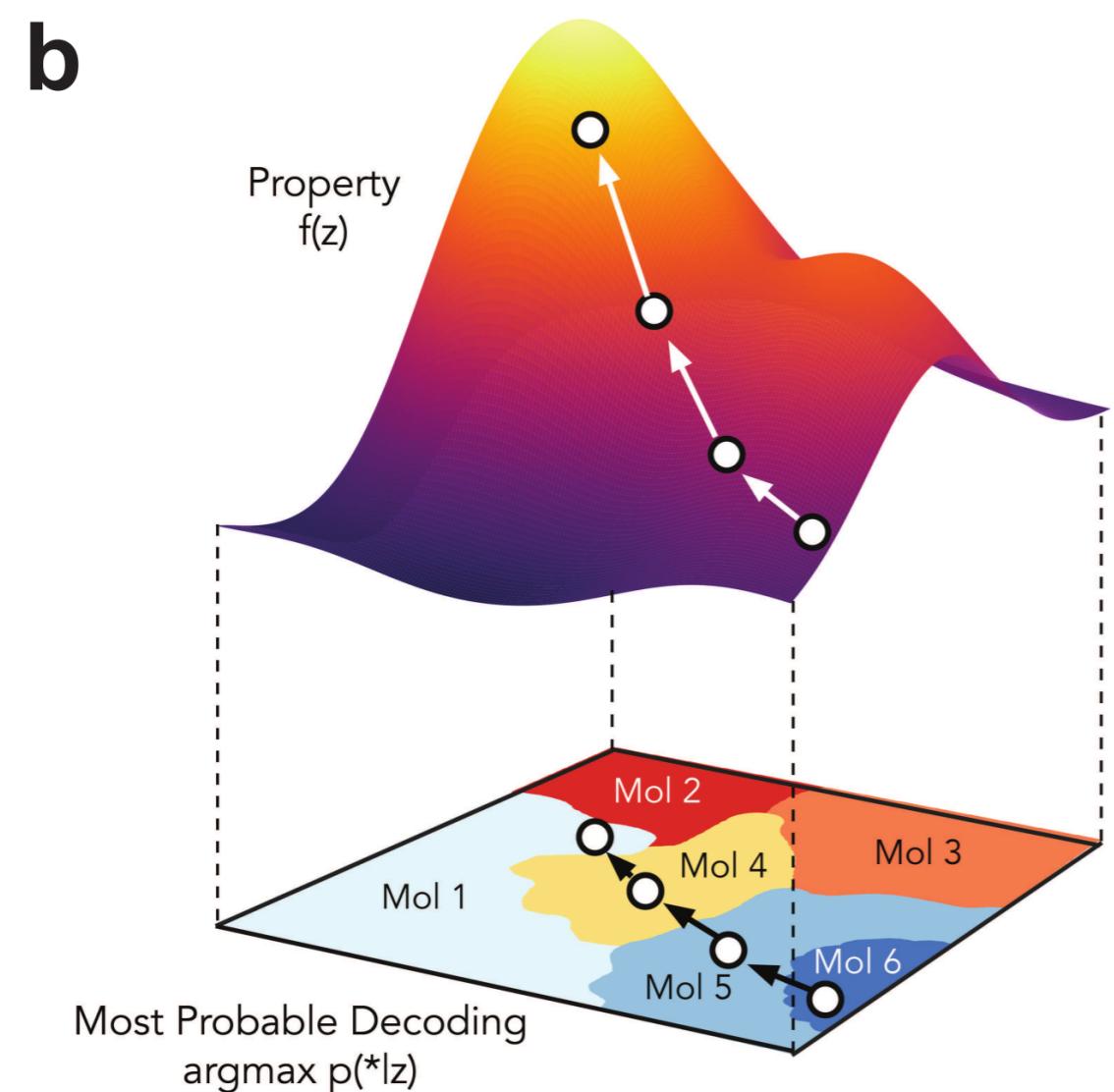
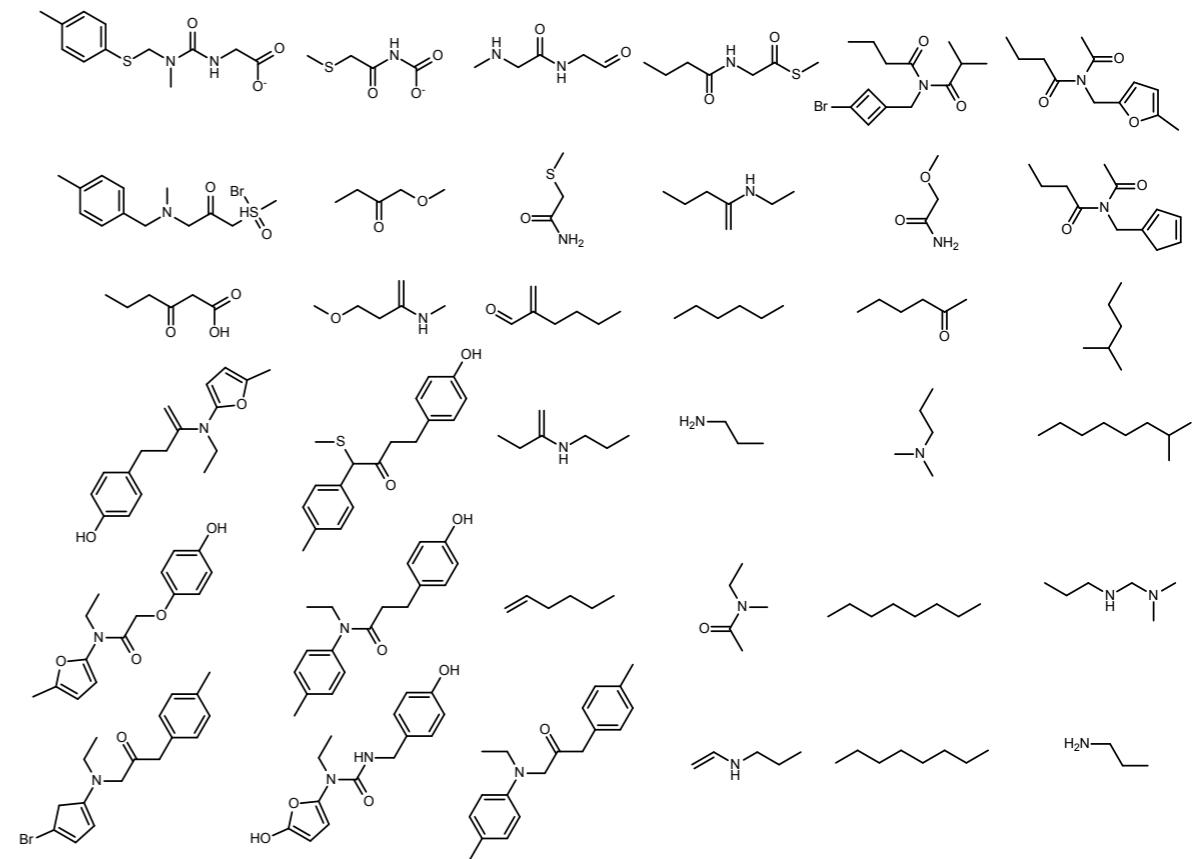
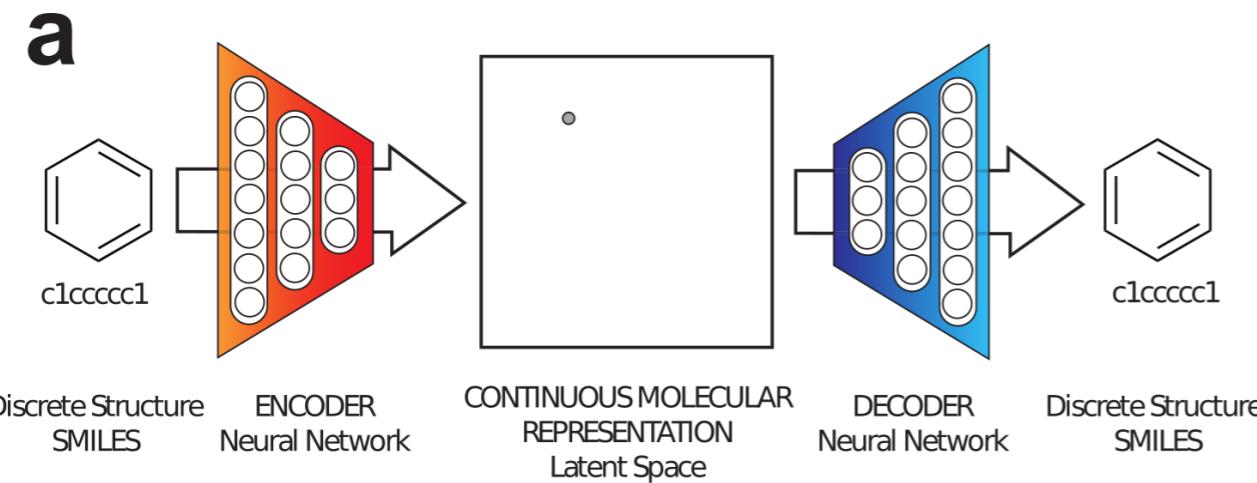
# Material Discovery



# Material Discovery



# Chemical design using VAE



interpolation of the  
molecules at the four  
corners

# *Density Functionals*

# Finding the density-functional

**Table 1. Physical Review Articles with more than 1000 Citations Through June 2003**

Publication	# cites	Av. age	Title	Author(s)	
PR 140, A1133 (1965)	3227	26.7	Self-Consistent Equations Including Exchange and Correlation Effects	W. Kohn, L. J. Sham	
PR 136, B864 (1964)	2460	28.7	Inhomogeneous Electron Gas	P. Hohenberg, W. Kohn	
PRB 23, 5048 (1981)	2079	14.4	Self-Interaction Correction to Density-Functional Approximations for Many-Electron Systems	J. P. Perdew, A. Zunger	
PRL 45, 566 (1980)	1781	15.4	Ground State of the Electron Gas by a Stochastic Method	D. M. Ceperley, B. J. Alder	
PR 108, 1175 (1957)	1364	20.2	Theory of Superconductivity	J. Bardeen, L. N. Cooper, J. R. Schrieffer	
PRL 19, 1264 (1967)	1306	15.5	A Model of Leptons	S. Weinberg	
PRB 12, 3060 (1975)	1259	18.4	Linear Methods in Band Theory	O. K. Anderson	
PR 124, 1866 (1961)	1178	28.0	Effects of Configuration Interaction of Intensities and Phase Shifts	U. Fano	
RMP 57, 287 (1985)	1055	9.2	Disordered Electronic Systems	P. A. Lee, T. V. Ramakrishnan	
RMP 54, 437 (1982)	1045	10.8	Electronic Properties of Two-Dimensional Systems	T. Ando, A. B. Fowler, F. Stern	
PRB 13, 5188 (1976)	1023	20.8	Special Points for Brillouin-Zone Integrations	H. J. Monkhorst, J. D. Pack	

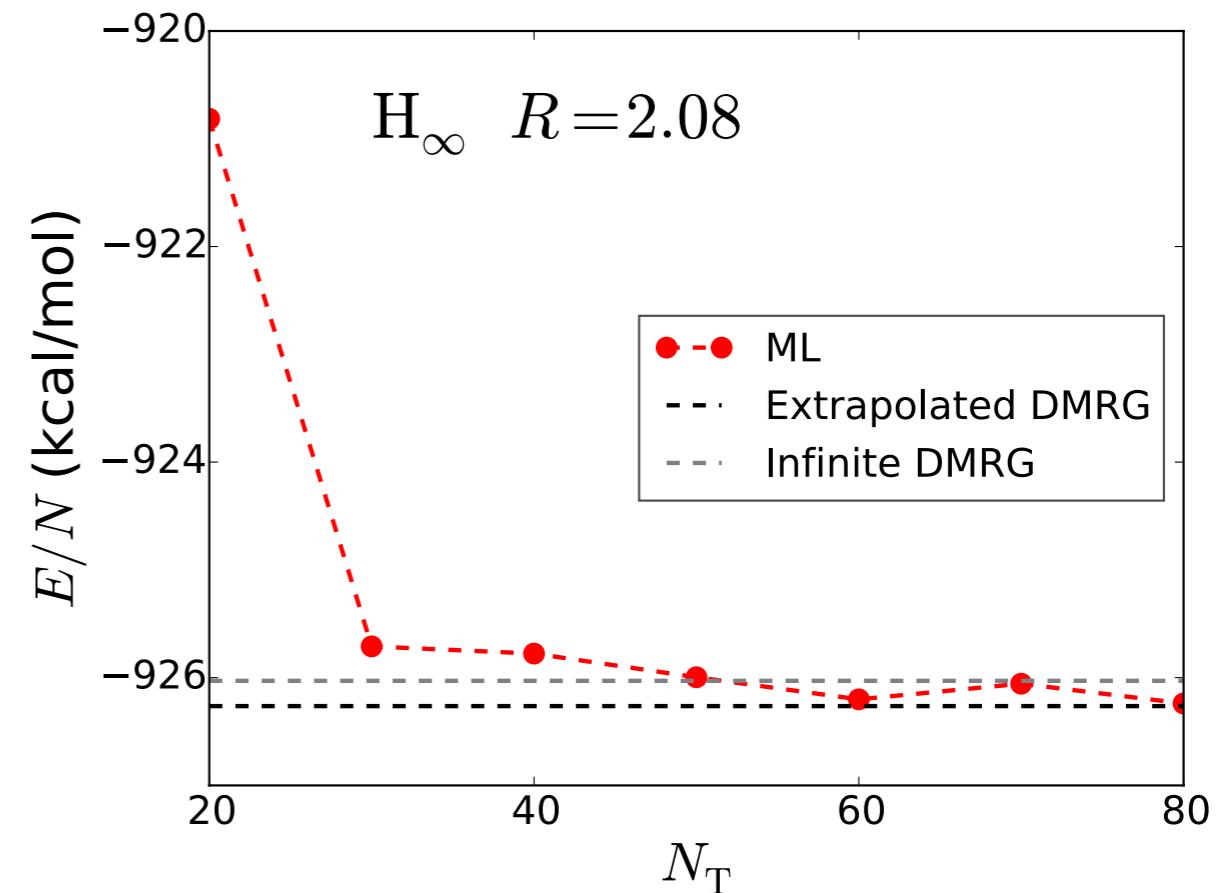
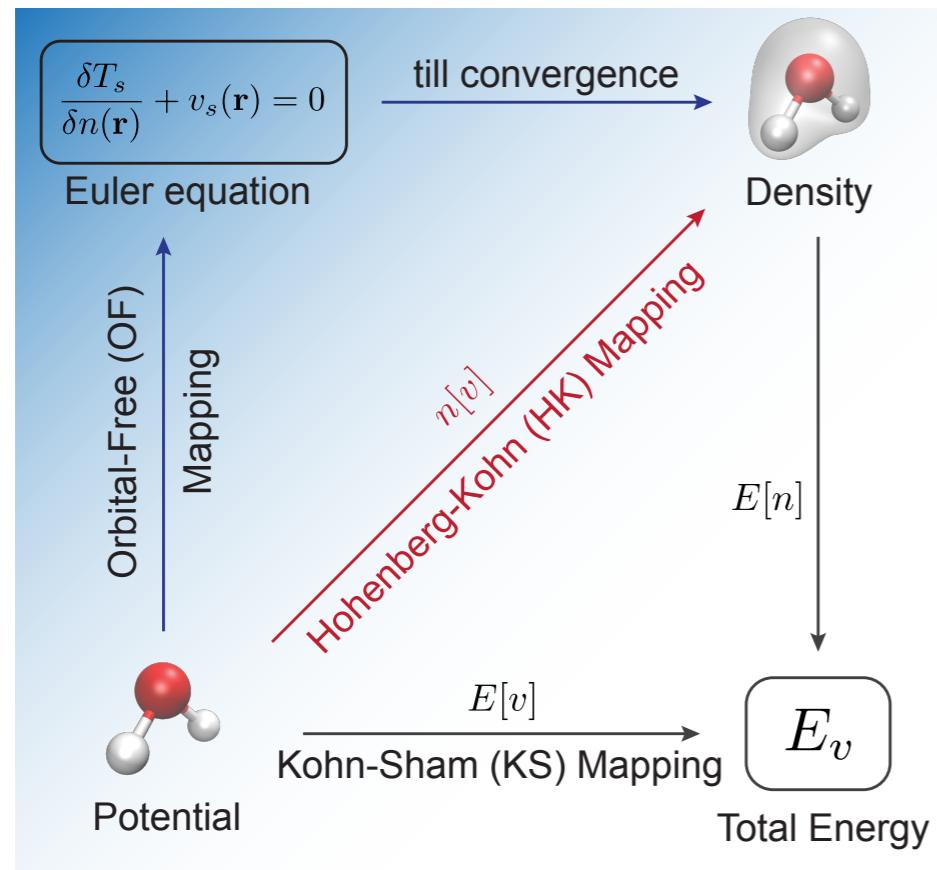
PR, *Physical Review*; PRB, *Physical Review B*; PRL, *Physical Review Letters*; RMP, *Reviews of Modern Physics*.

Top four most-cited PR papers are all DFT-foundational papers!

# Finding the density-functional

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# Recent Progresses



Avoiding Euler equation by  
directly learning  $n[v]$  map

Beockherde, Vogt, Li, Tuckerman,  
Burke, Meuller 1609.02815

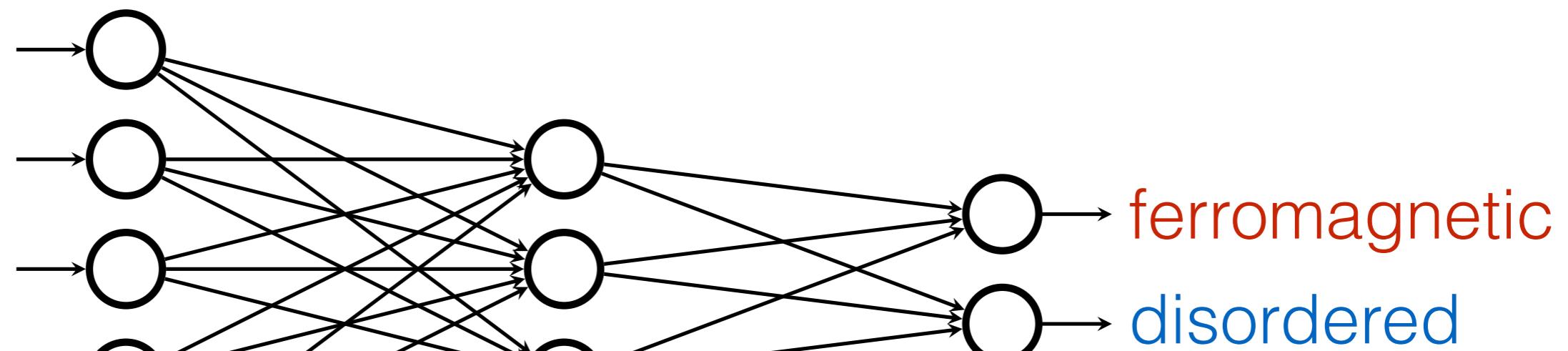
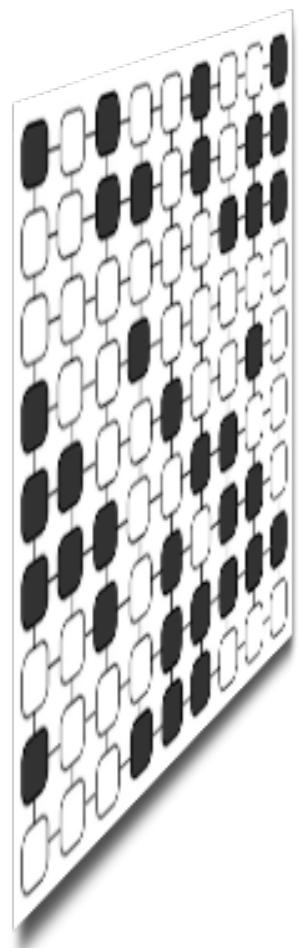
Learning the xc-functional  
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1D continuous space

Li, Baker, White, Burke, 1609.03705

*“Phase” Recognition*

# Supervised Approach

Ising configurations



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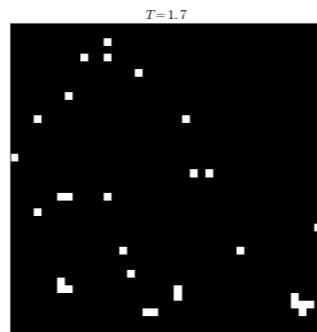
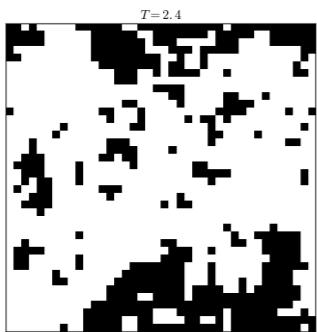
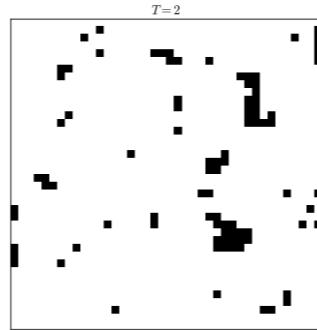
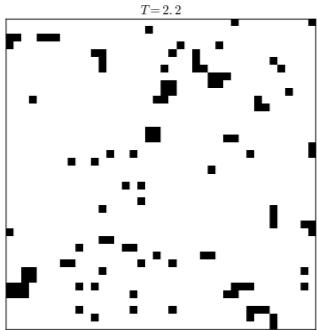
“Machine Learning Phase of Matter”

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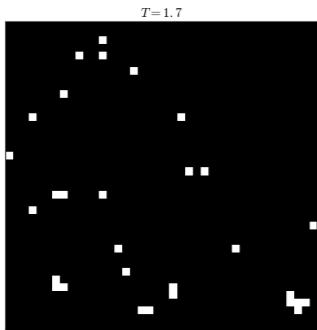
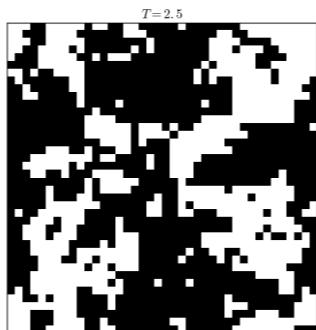
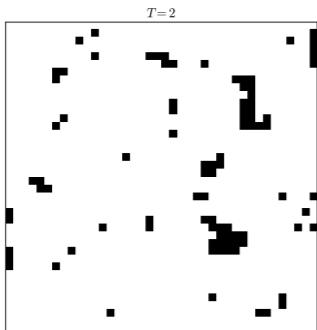
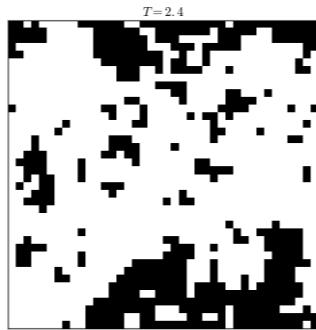
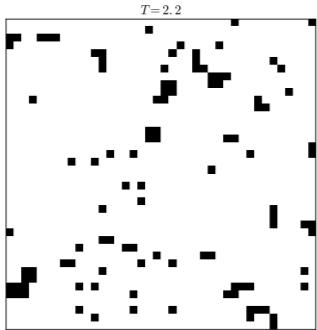
Carrasquilla and Melko, 1605.01735

+ many more on quantum spins, fermions, disordered systems, topological models ...

# Unsupervised Approach



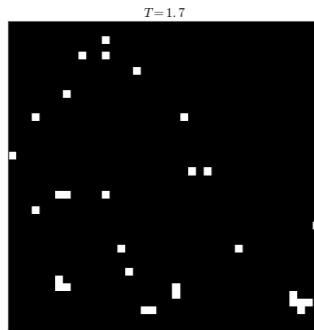
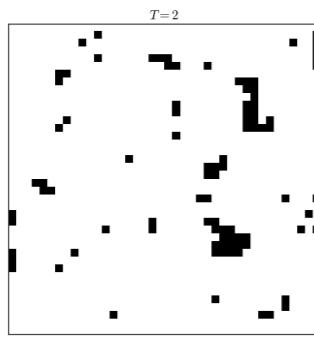
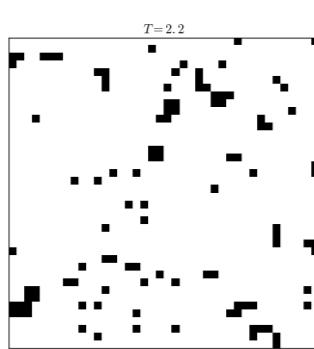
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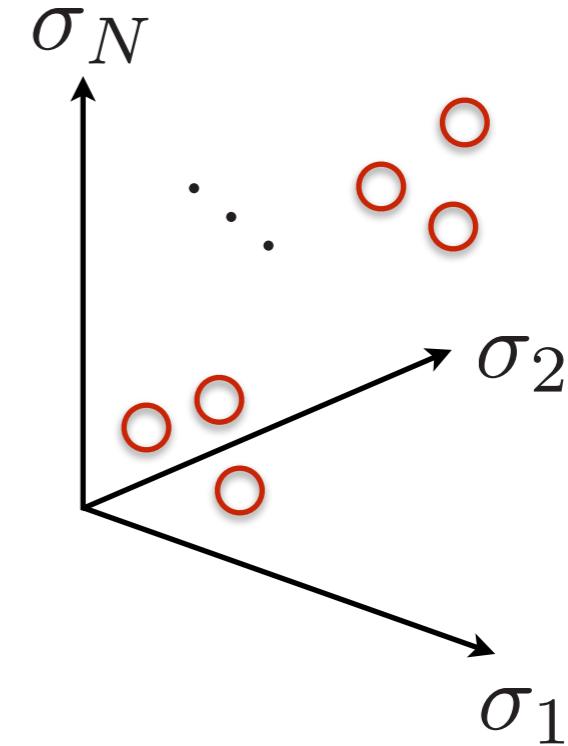
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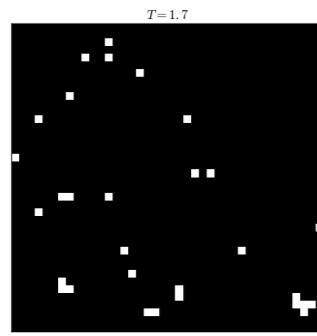
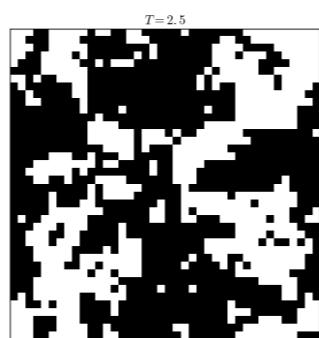
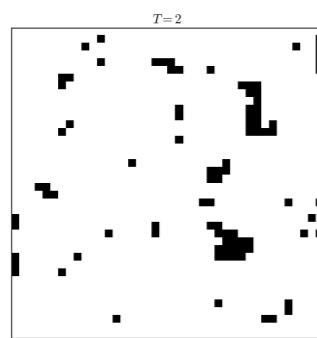
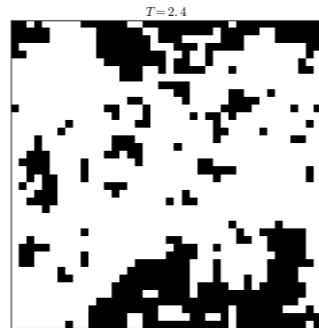
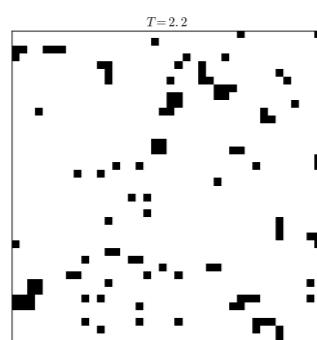
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# Unsupervised Approach



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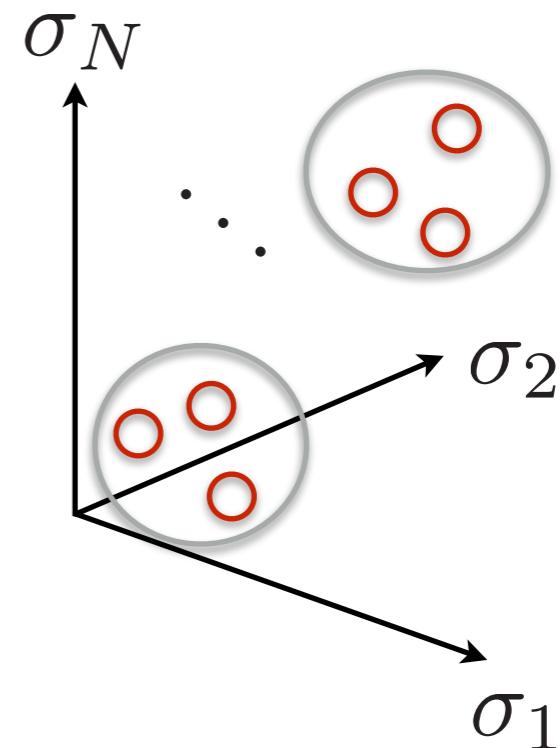
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Different  
Schemes

Nieuwenburg, Liu, Huber, 1610.02048  
Liu, Nieuwenburg, 1706.08111  
Broecker, Assaad, Trebst, 1707.00663

LW, 1606.00318

Discovering phase transition  
with dimensional reduction  
and clustering analysis



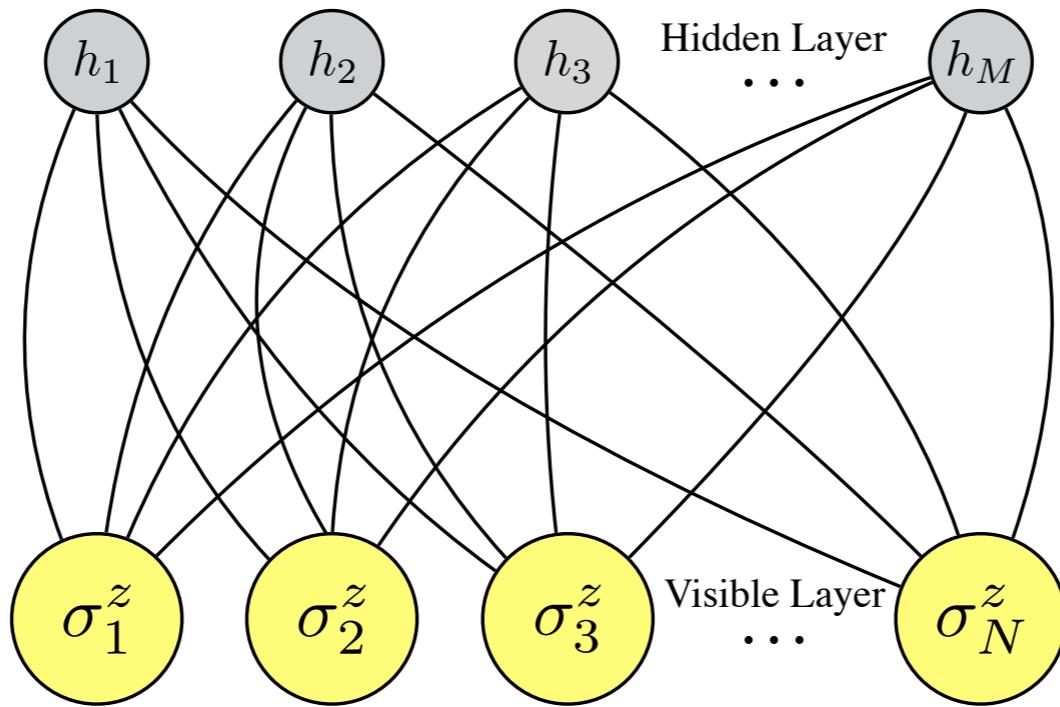
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Extensions    Wetzel, 1703.02435  
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*Variational Ansatz*

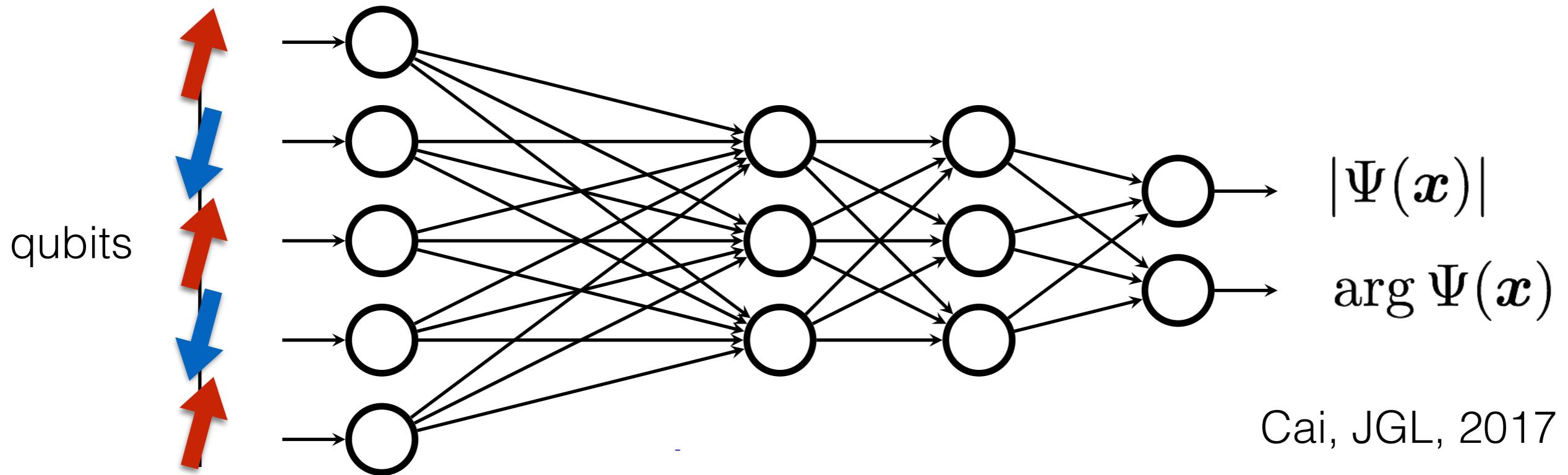
# RBM as a variational ansatz

Carleo and Troyer, 1606.02318



- Exact construction for 1d SPT, 2d toric code state etc
- Related to tensor network, string-bond, correlator product states
- Killer app ? Long-range, volume law entanglement, chiral state, improved Jastrow

# Deep neural net as a variational ansatz



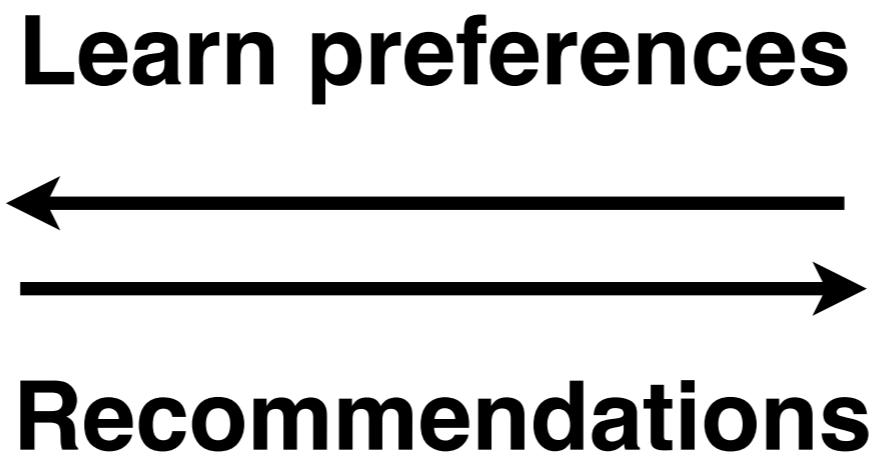
- Train the deep neural net ansatz using [Backprop](#)
- Feature discovery and abstraction power of the deep hierarchical structure
- Bottleneck appears to be the stochastic optimization (VMC)

# *Monte Carlo Update Proposals*

# A Video from Google DeepMind

[http://www.nature.com/nature/journal/v518/n7540/fig\\_tab/nature14236\\_SV2.html](http://www.nature.com/nature/journal/v518/n7540/fig_tab/nature14236_SV2.html)

# Proposals from Boltzmann Machine

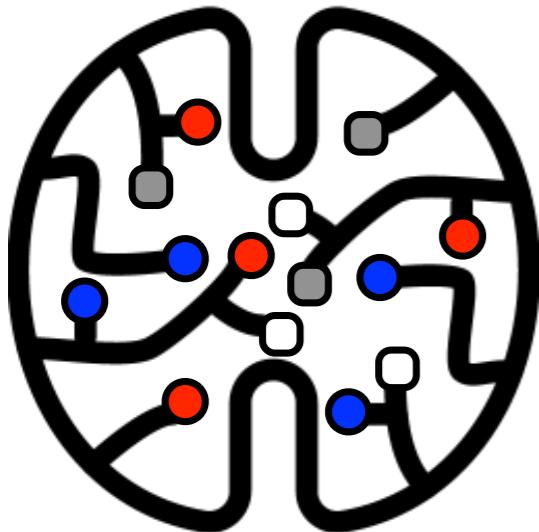


- Use Boltzmann Machines as **recommender systems** for Monte Carlo simulation of physical systems

Li Huang and LW, 1610.02746

Liu, Qi, Meng, Fu, 1610.03137

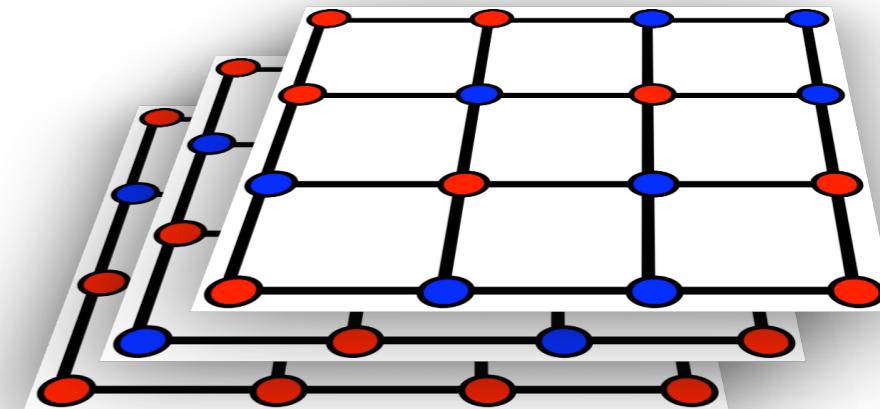
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**Learn preferences**



**Recommendations**

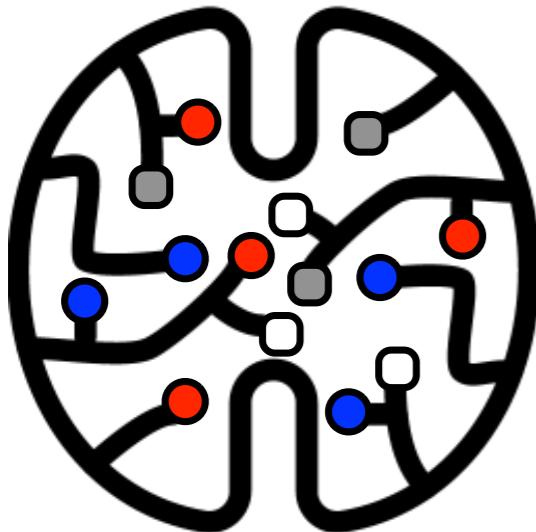


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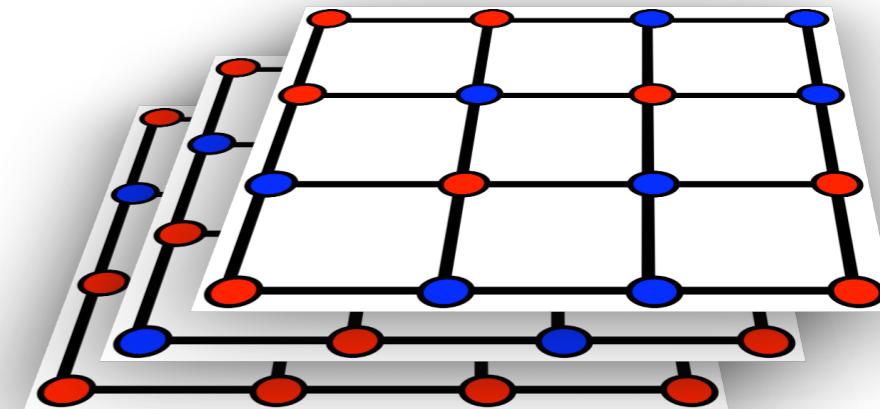
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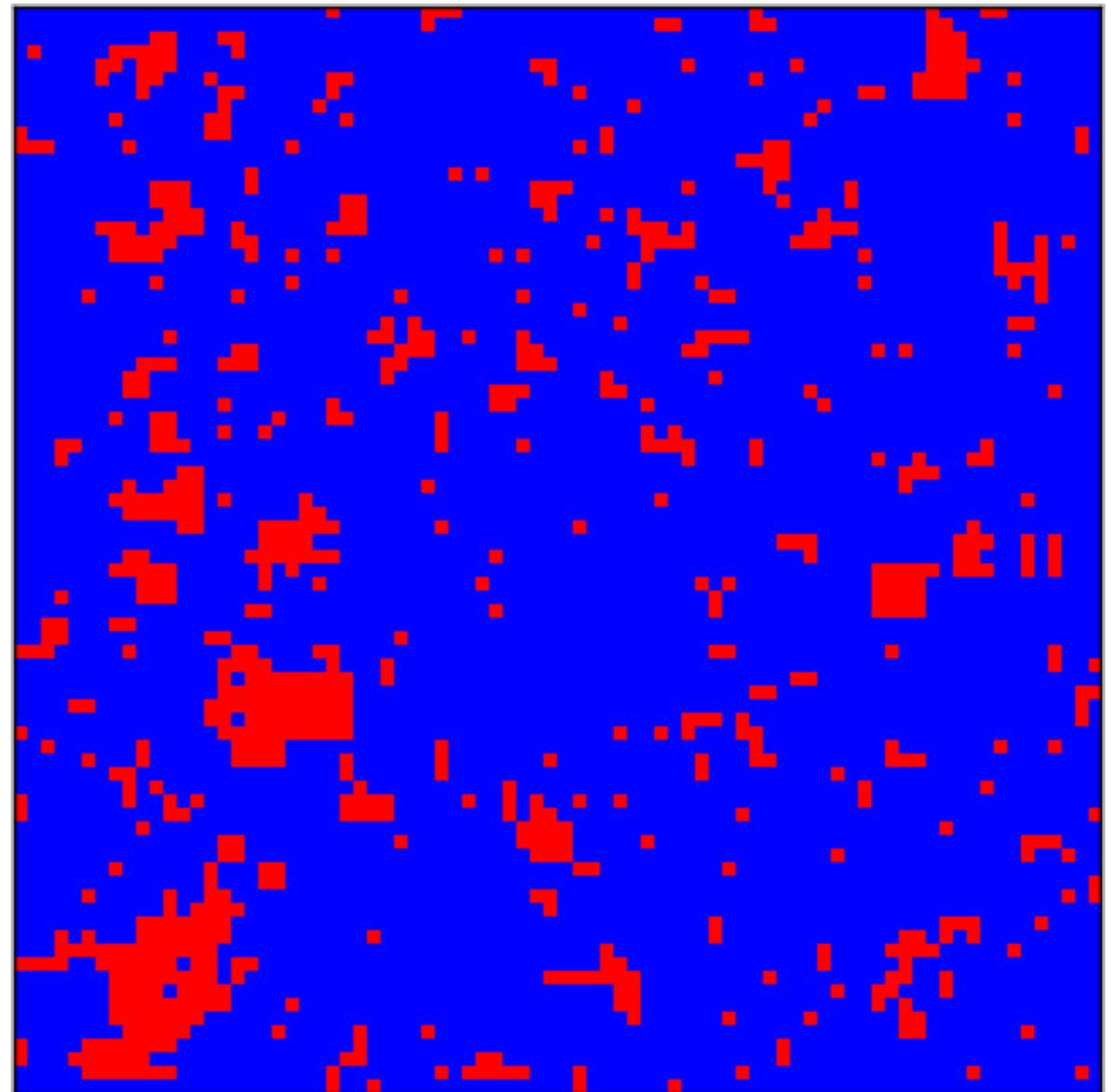
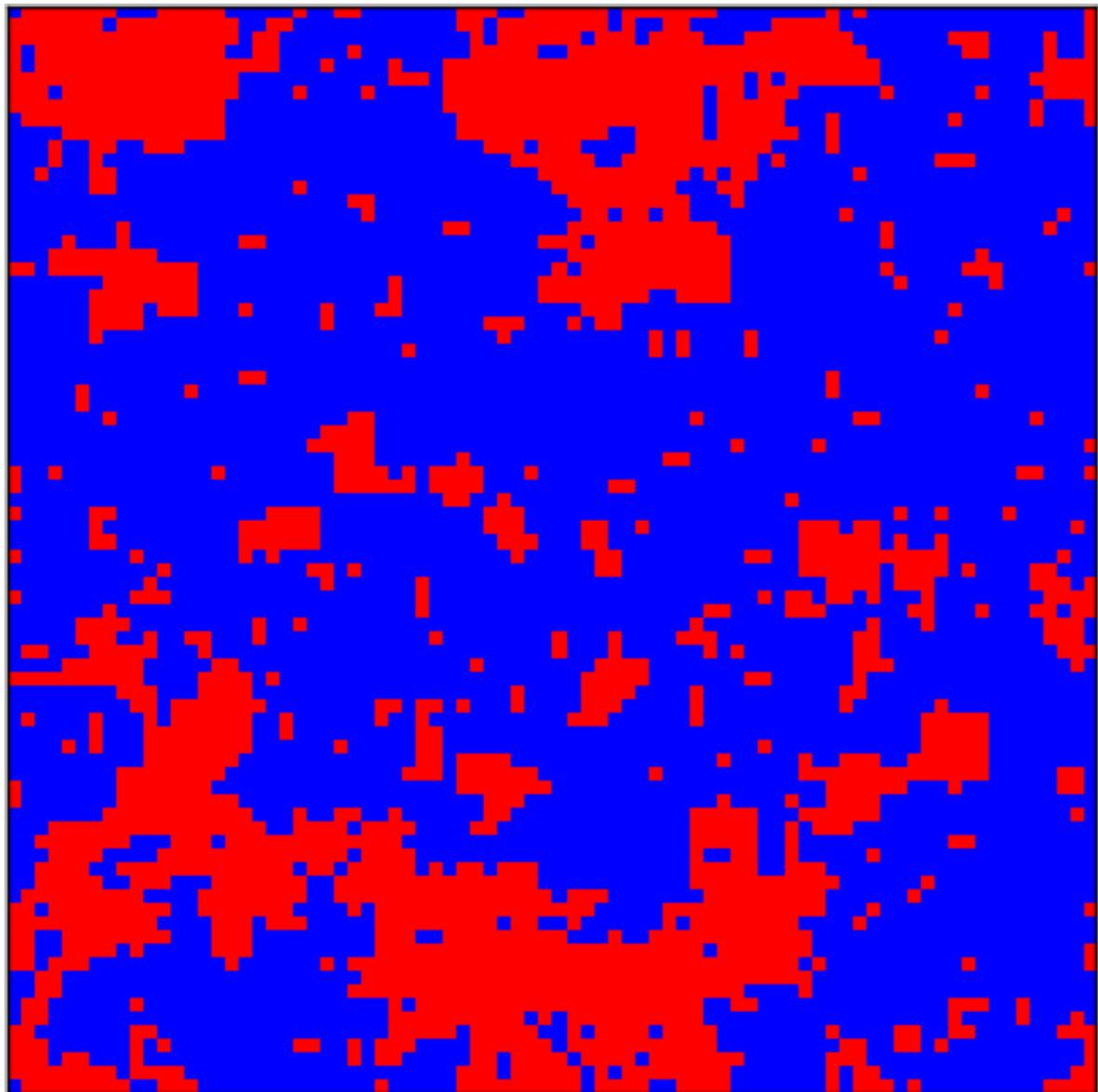


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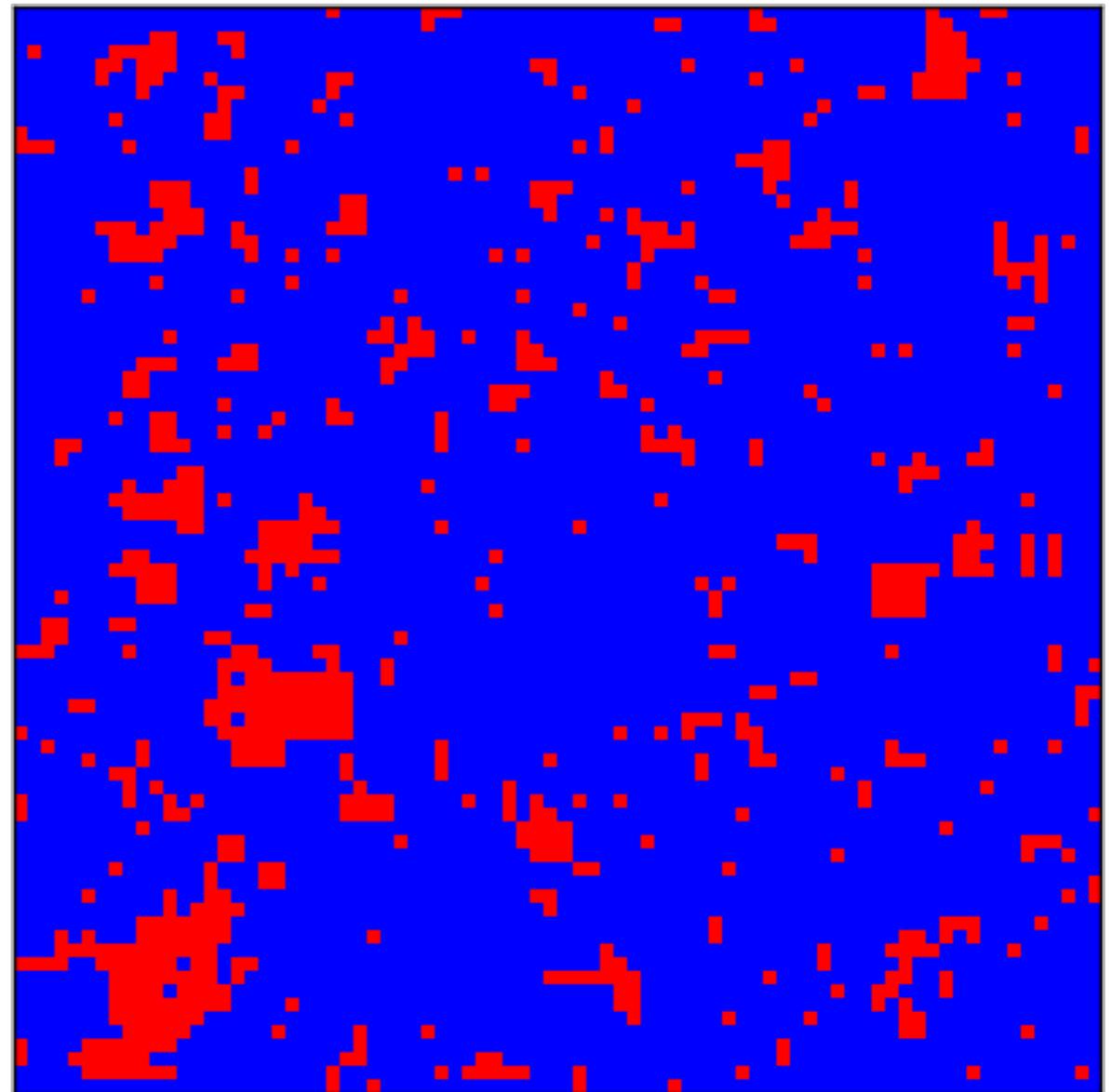
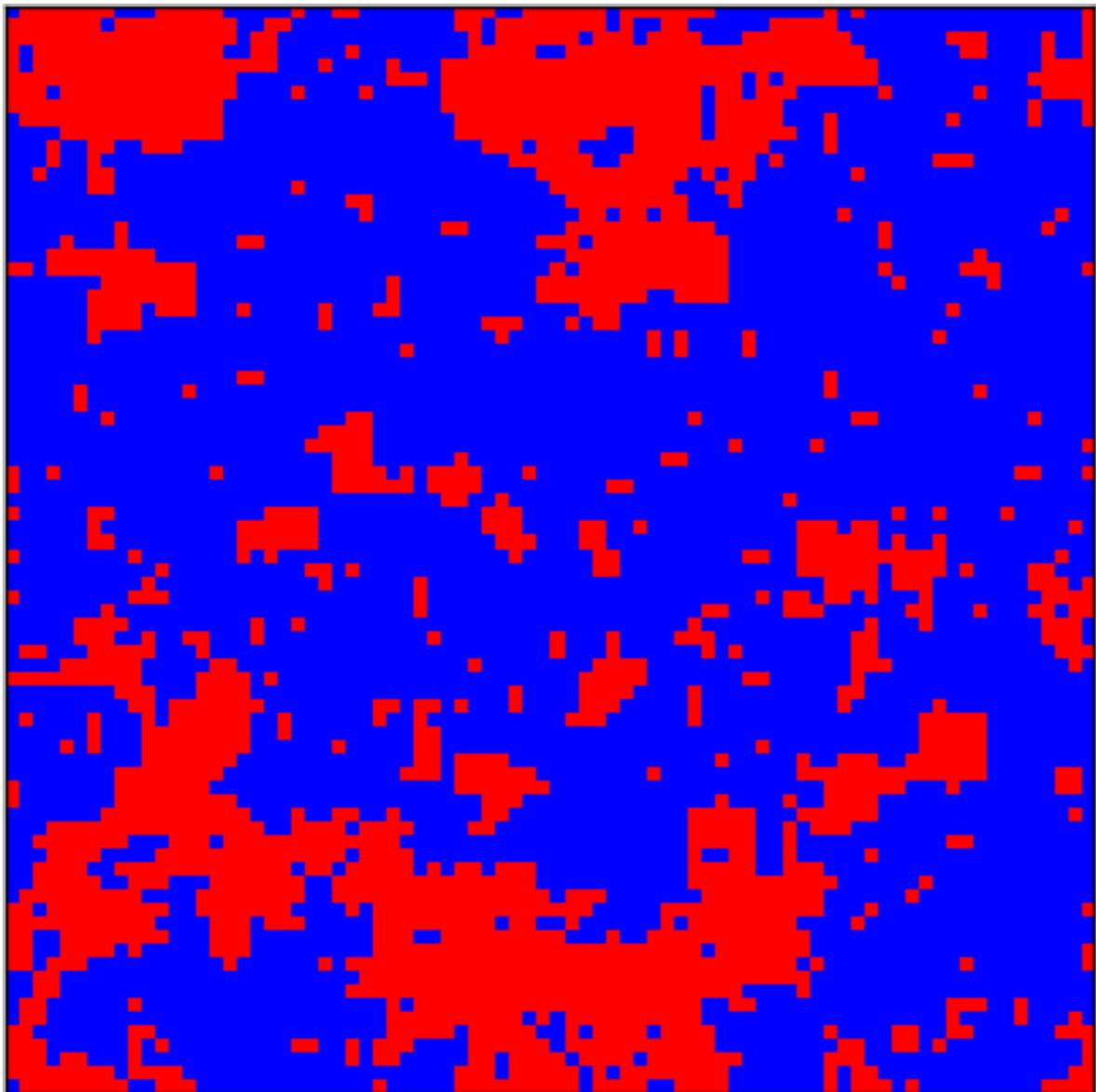


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- Moreover, BM parametrizes Monte Carlo policies and explores **novel algorithms!**  
LW, 1702.08586

# Local vs Cluster algorithms



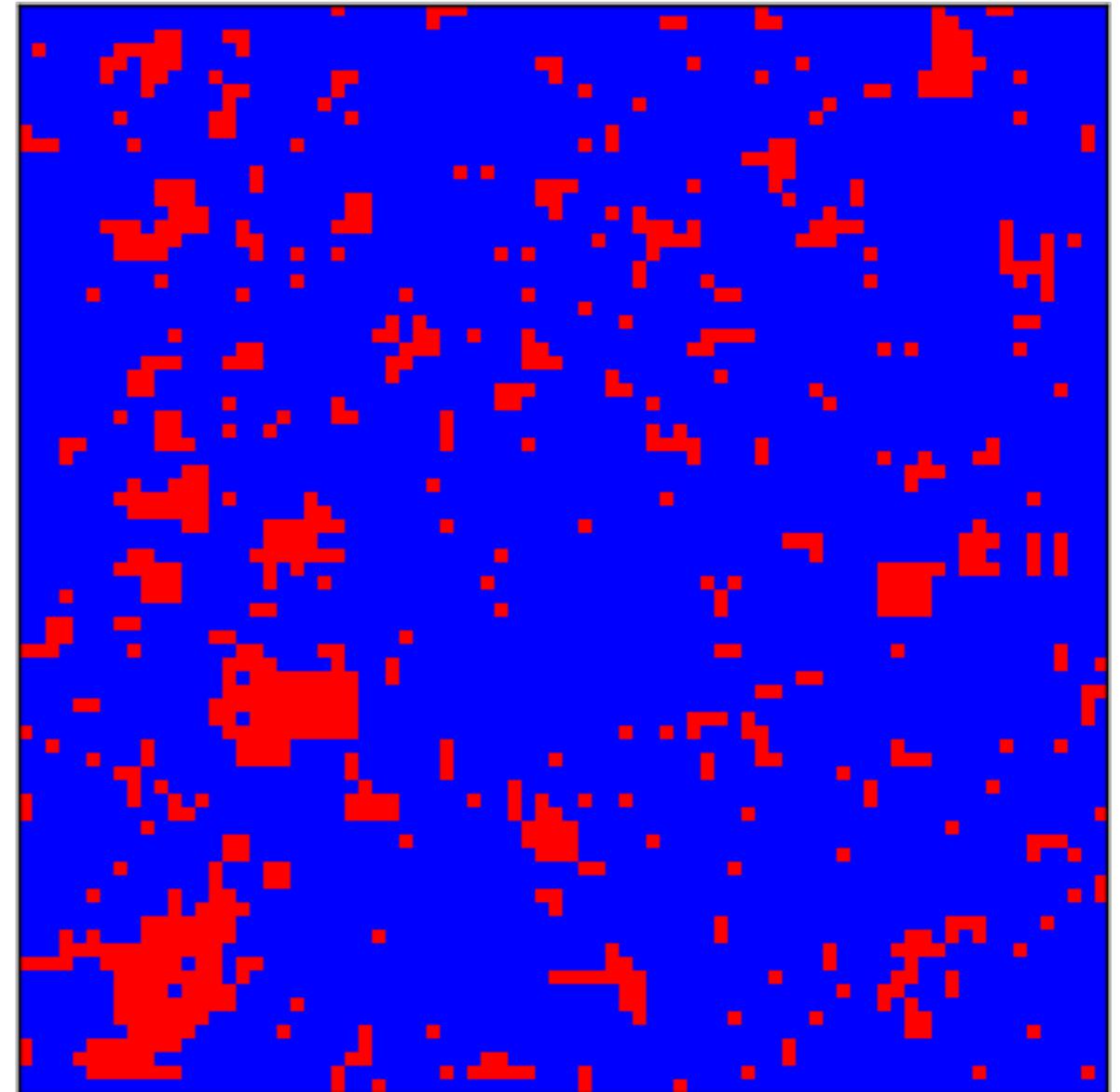
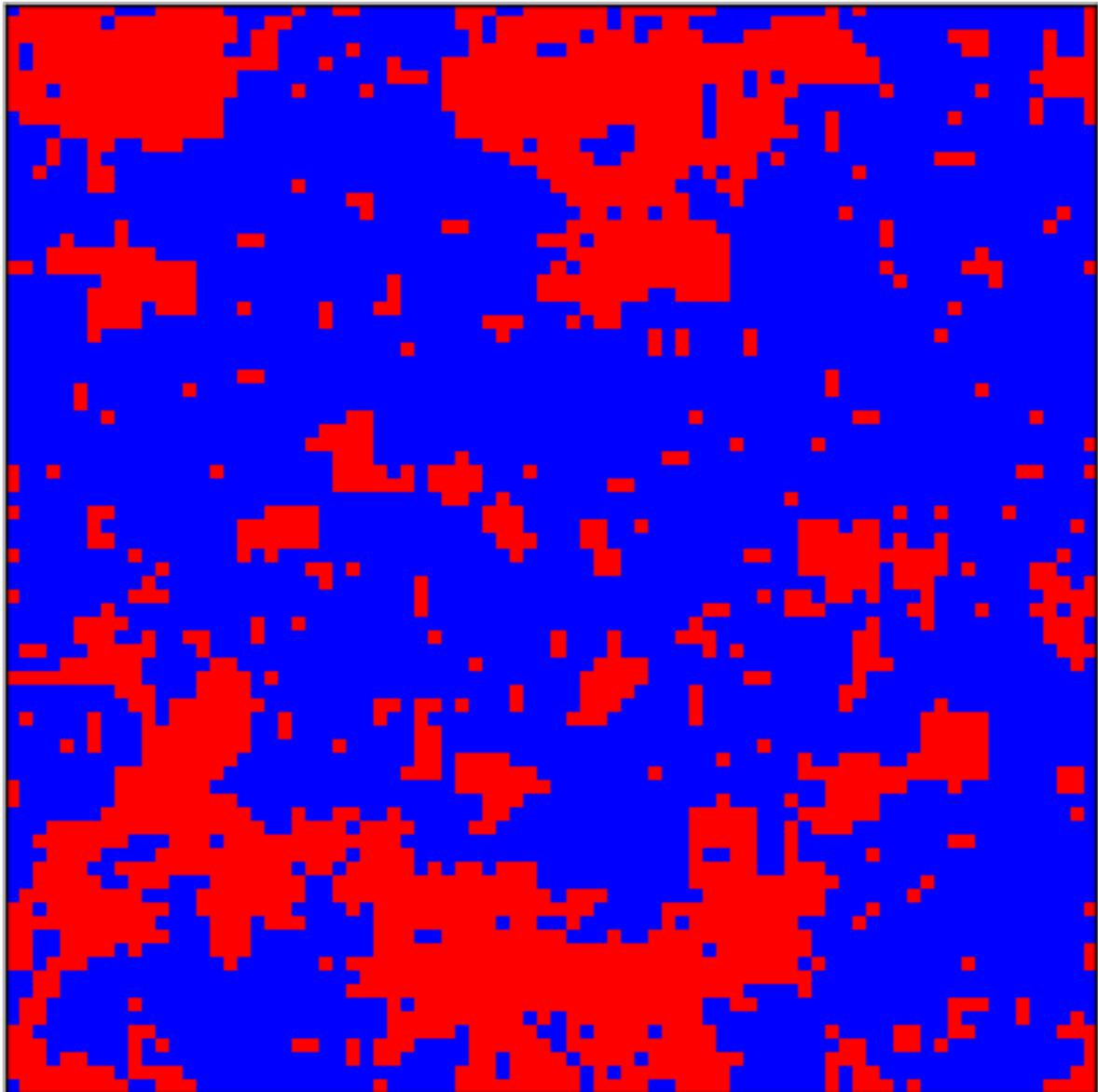
# Local vs Cluster algorithms



is slower than



# Local vs Cluster algorithms



Algorithmic innovation outperforms Moore's law!

# Deep learning the MC proposal

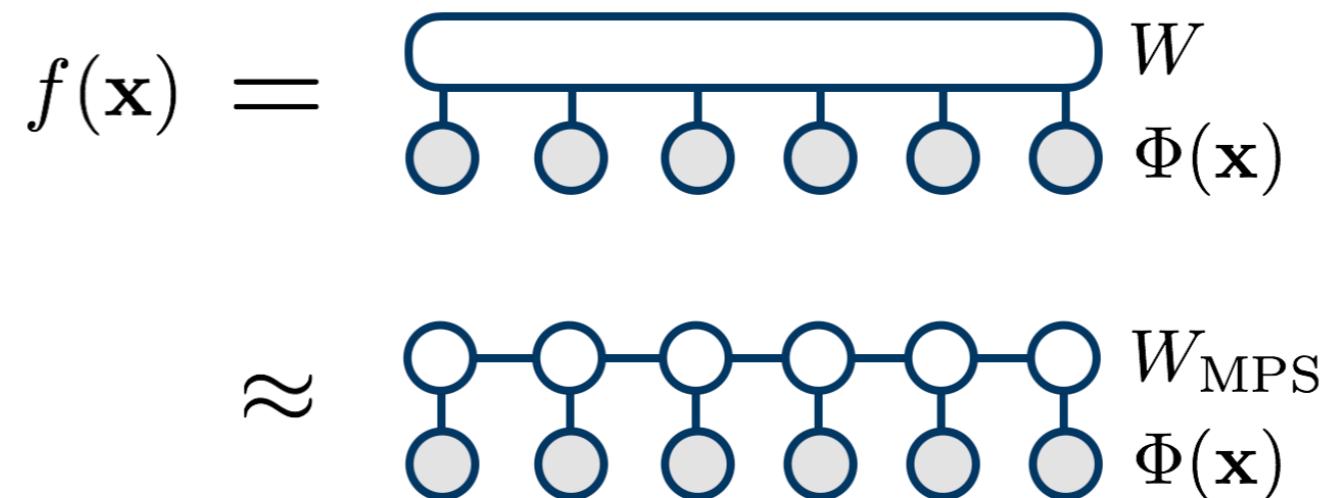
$$A(x \rightarrow x') = \min \left[ 1, \frac{q(x' \rightarrow x)}{q(x \rightarrow x')} \cdot \frac{\pi(x')}{\pi(x)} \right]$$

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Policy      Fixed by the  
                  Physics

- A-NICE-MC 1706.07561
- Generalize hybrid MC using neural networks 1711.09268
- Probabilistic programs as proposals 1801.03612

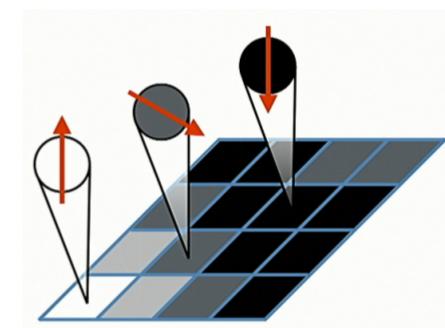
# *Tensor Networks*

# MPS for pattern recognition



$$f(\mathbf{x}) = \sum_{\{s\}} W_{s_1 s_2 \dots s_N} \phi^{s_1}(x_1) \otimes \phi^{s_2}(x_2) \otimes \dots \phi^{s_N}(x_N)$$

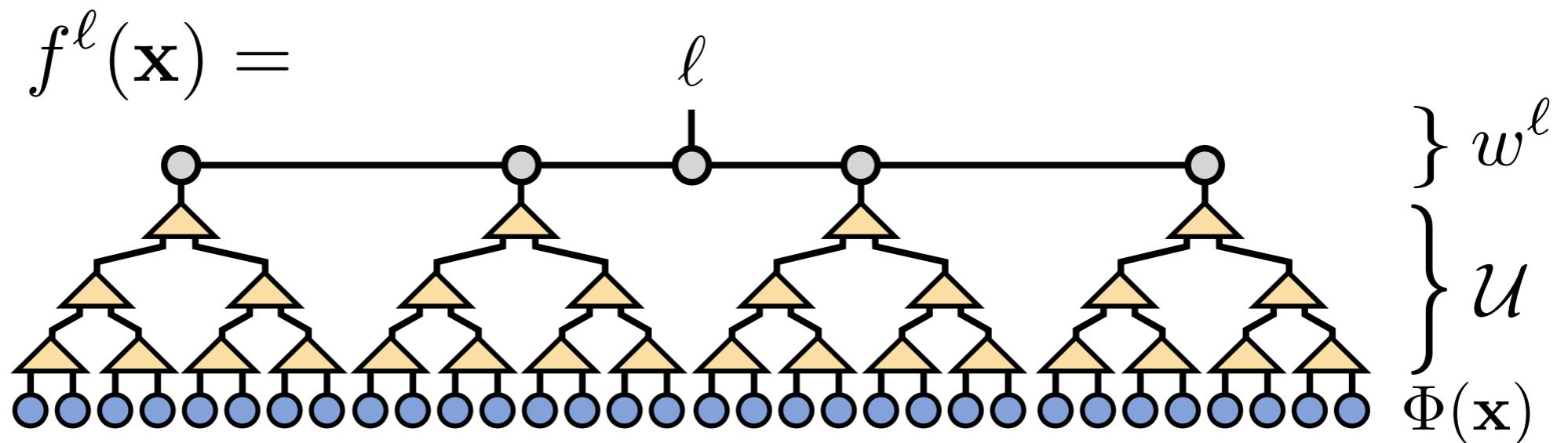
$$\phi^{s_j}(x_j) = \left[ \cos\left(\frac{\pi}{2}x_j\right), \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{2}x_j\right) \right]$$



%99.03 accuracy on MNIST dataset\*

\* bond dimension 120  
images scaled to 14\*14

# Unsupervised petraining with a TTN

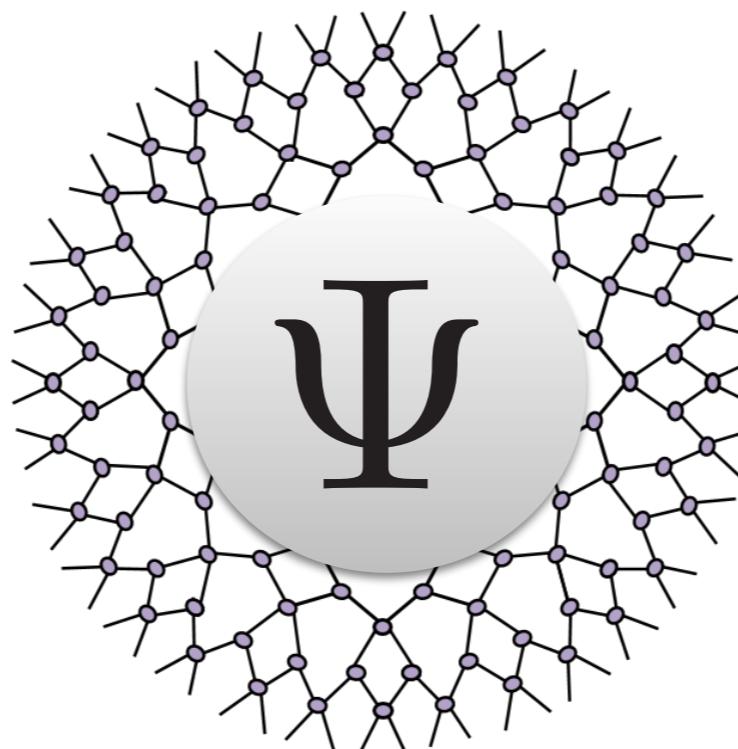


%88.97 accuracy on fashion MNIST

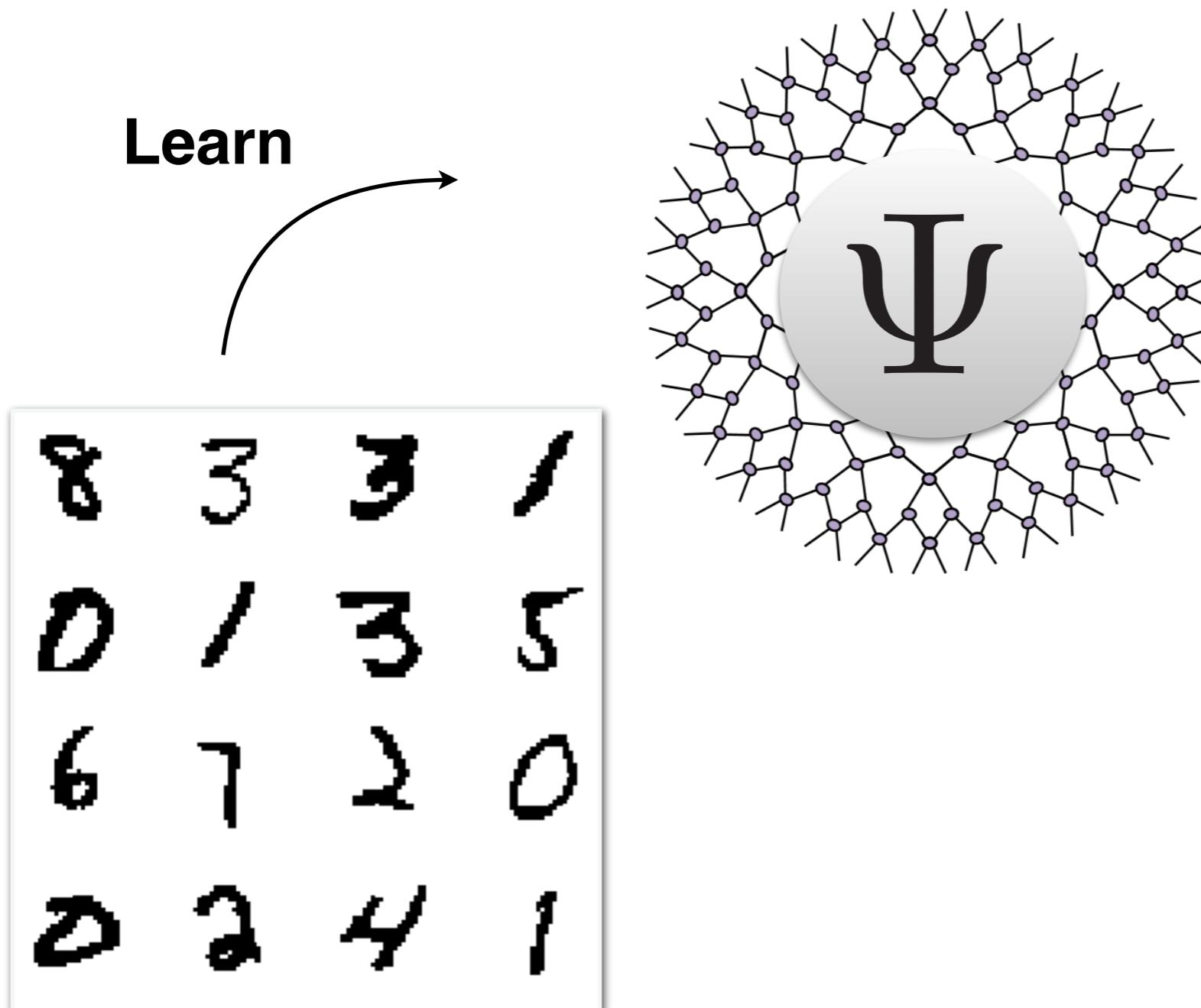
Comparable accuracy to ConvNets

Stoudenmire, 1801.00315

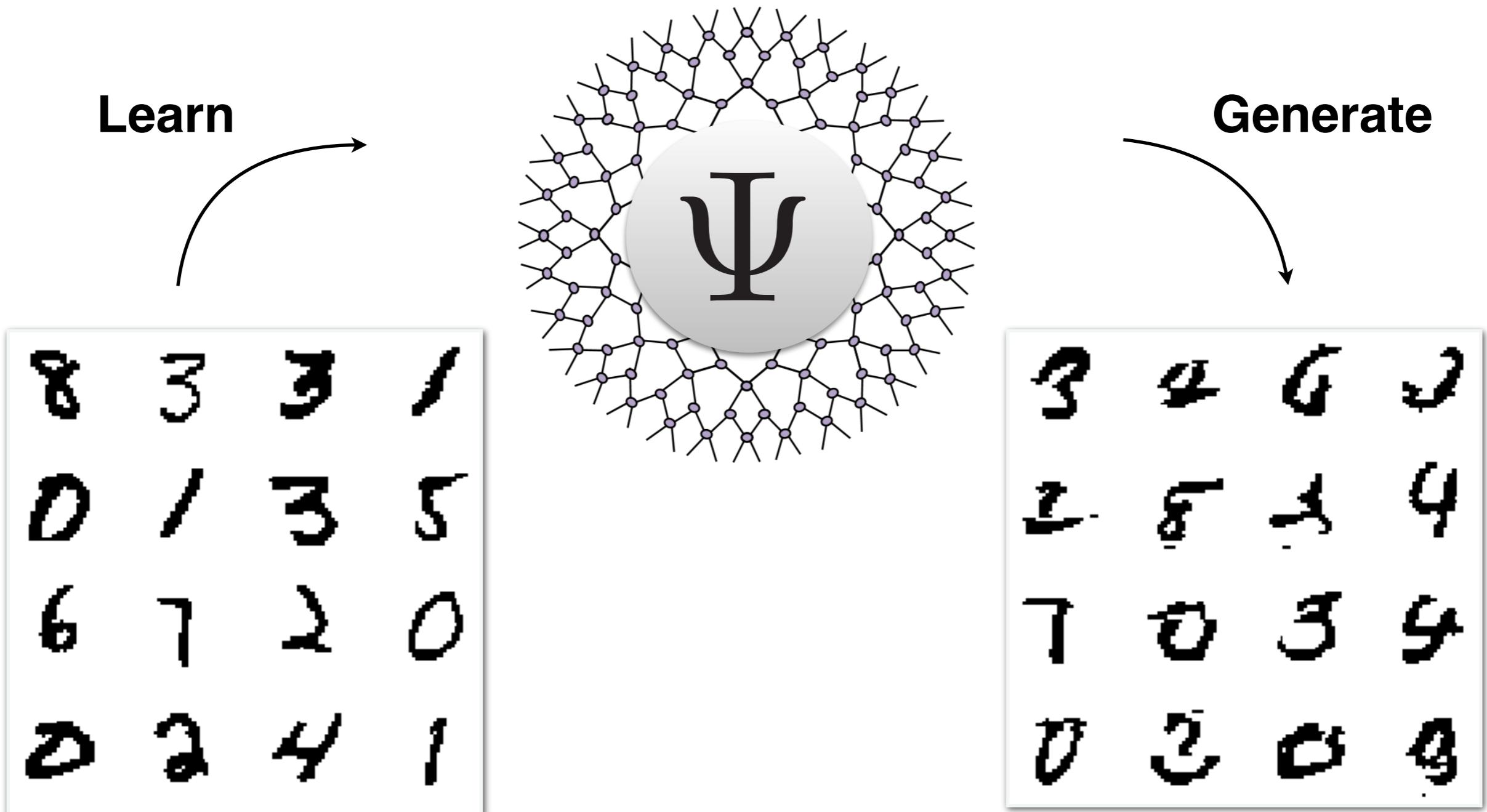
# Quantum inspired generative modeling



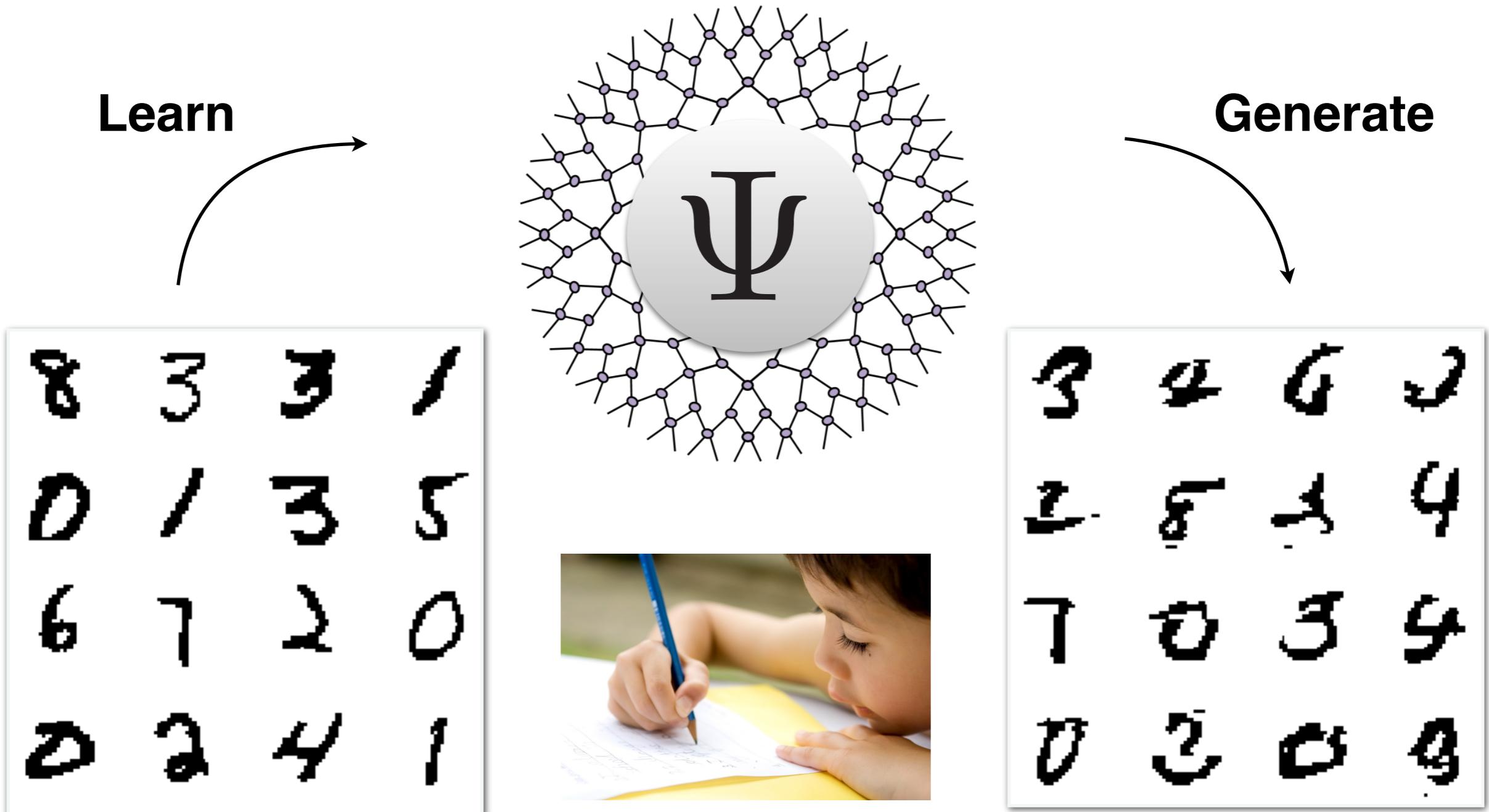
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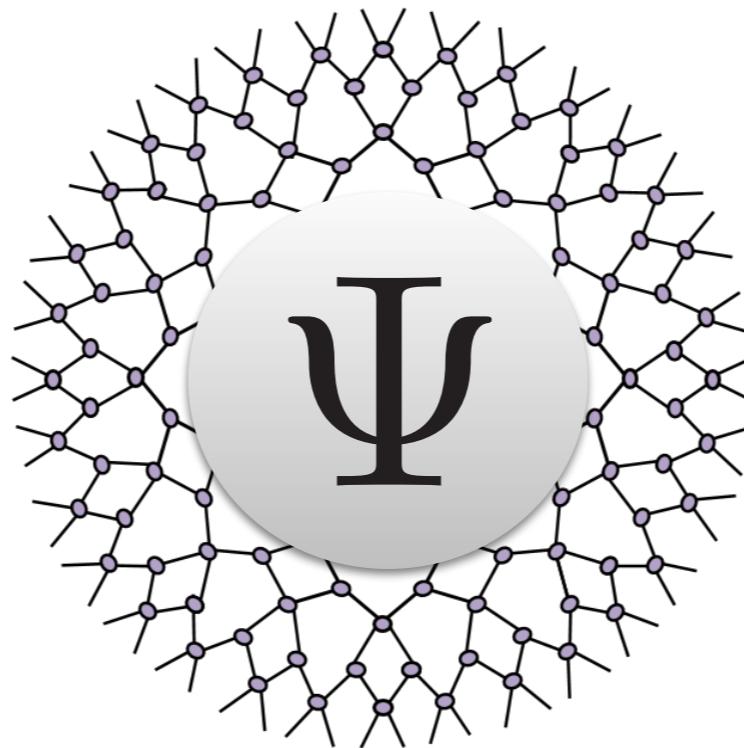


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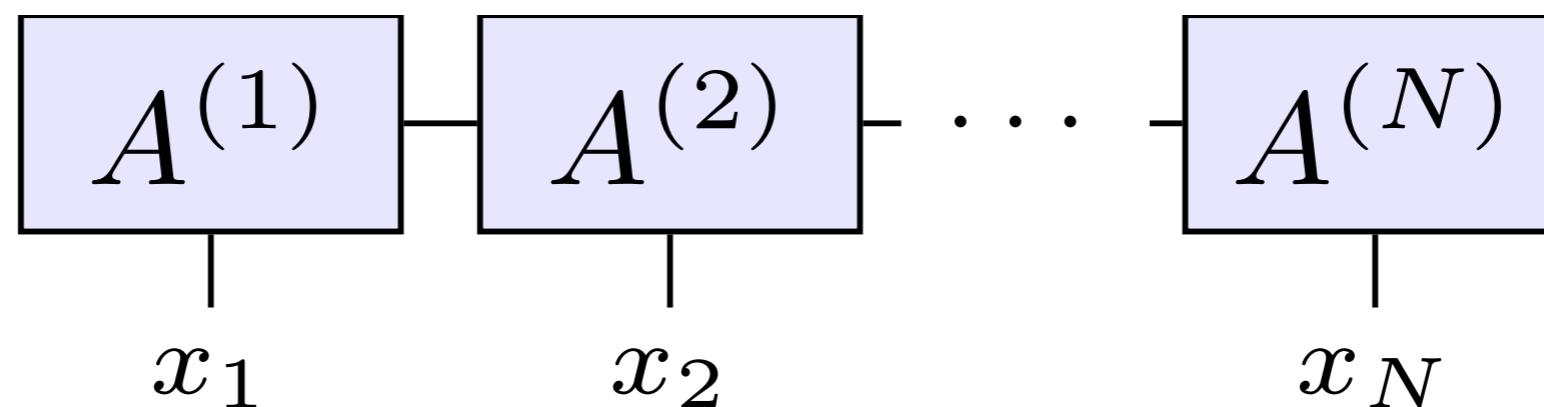


**“Teach a quantum state to write digits”**

# Generative modeling using Matrix Product States



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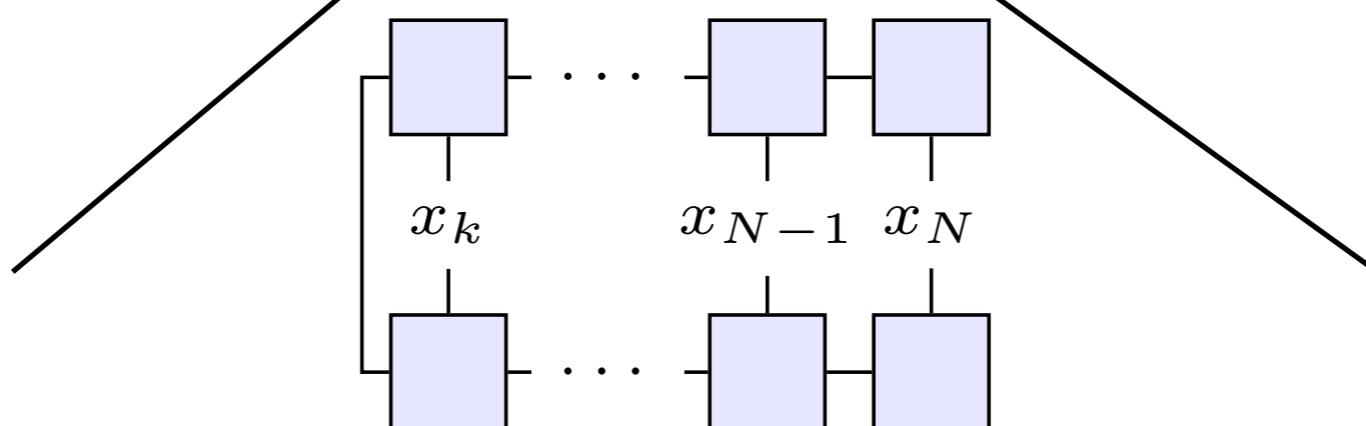


# Generative modeling using Matrix Product States

$$\mathcal{N} = \begin{array}{c} \text{---} \\ | \\ \text{---} \end{array} \cdots \begin{array}{c} \text{---} \\ | \\ \text{---} \end{array} \cdots \begin{array}{c} \text{---} \\ | \\ \text{---} \end{array}$$
$$\partial \mathcal{L} / \partial \left( \begin{array}{c} i_{k-1} \\ \text{---} \\ | \\ A^{(k,k+1)} \\ | \\ i_{k+1} \\ x_k \quad x_{k+1} \end{array} \right)$$

Tractable partition function  
via **MPS contraction**

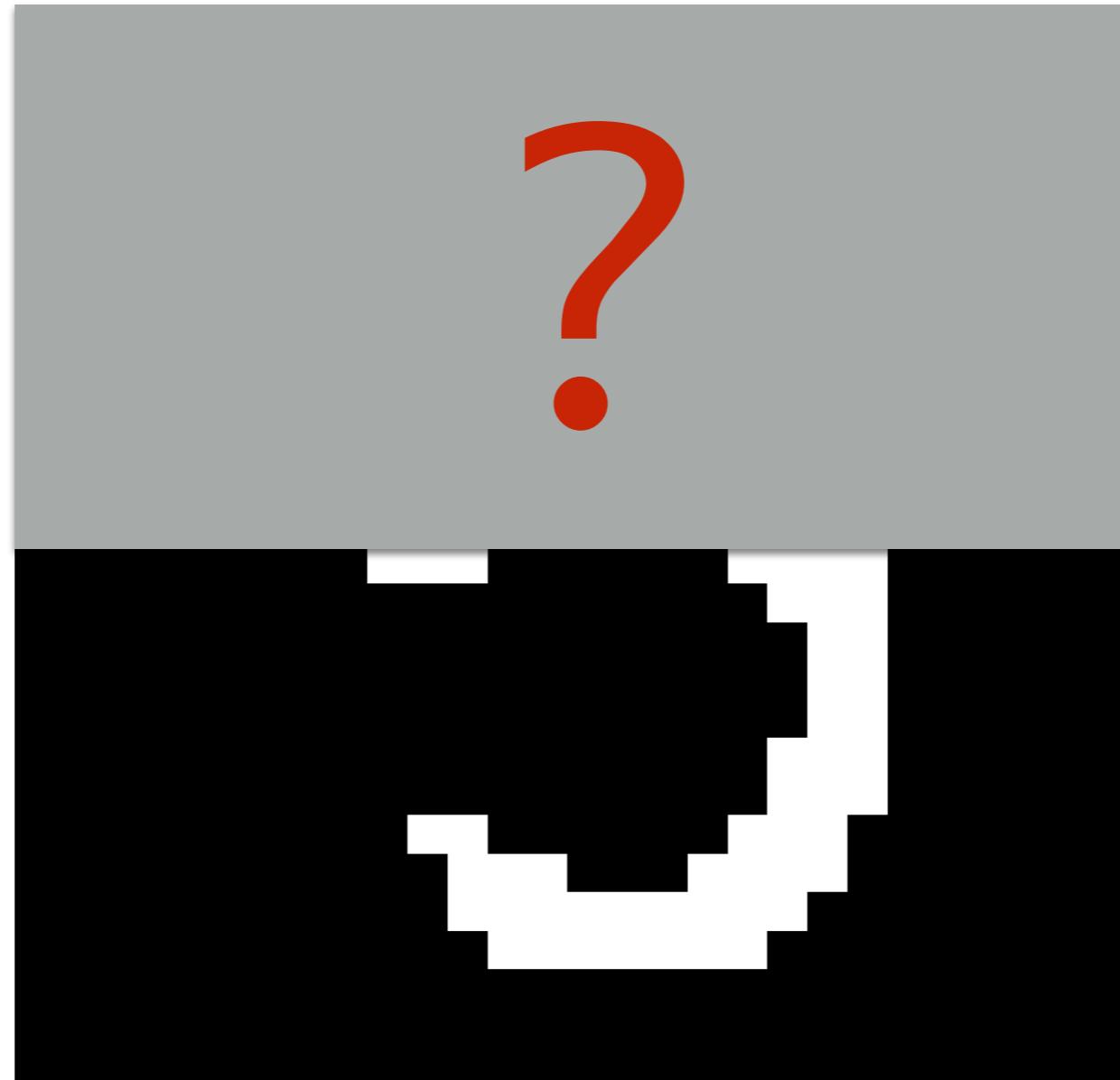
Efficient and adaptive  
learning via **DMRG**



Direct sampling using “Zipper”

# Quantum Perspective on Deep Learning

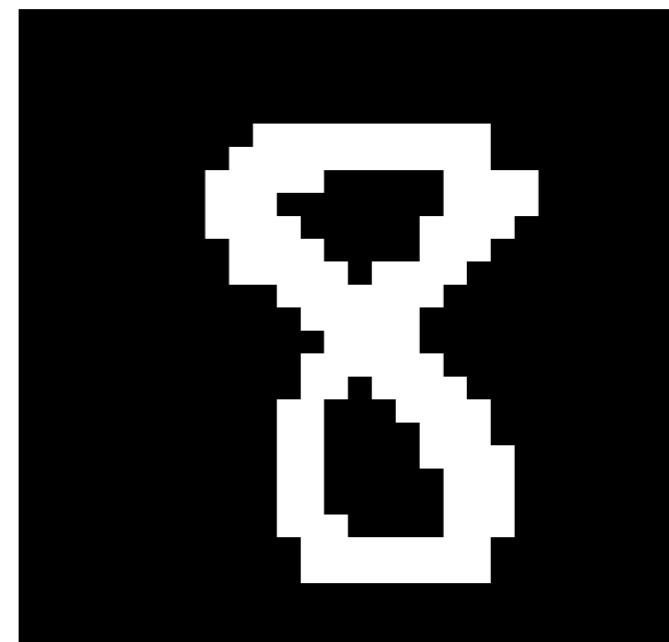
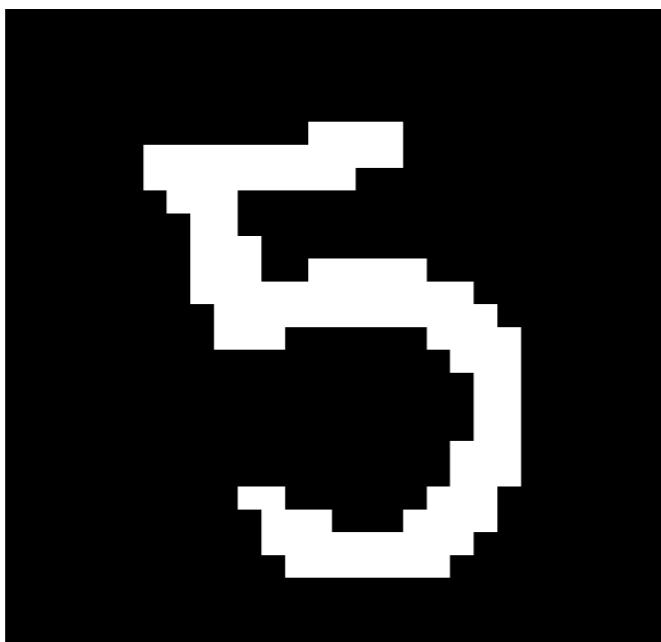
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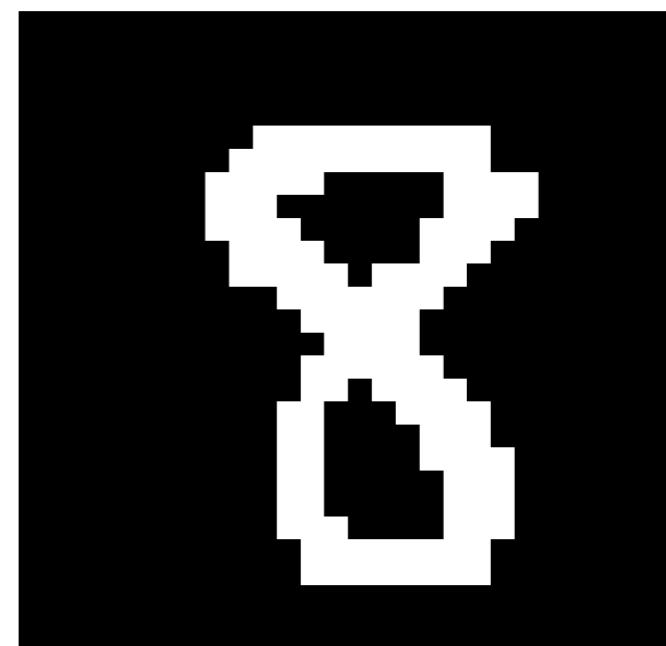
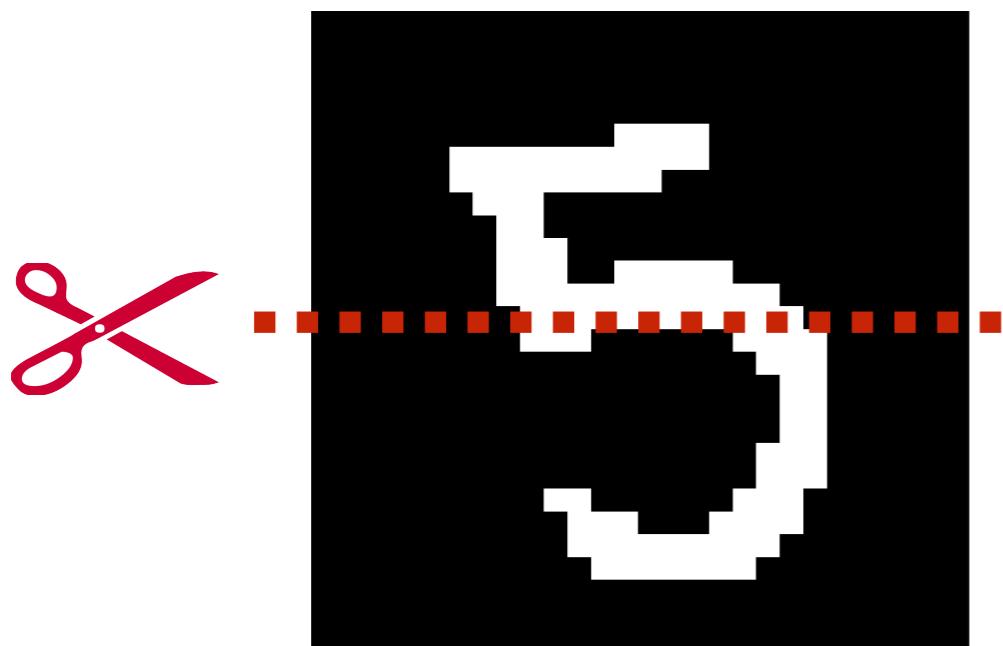
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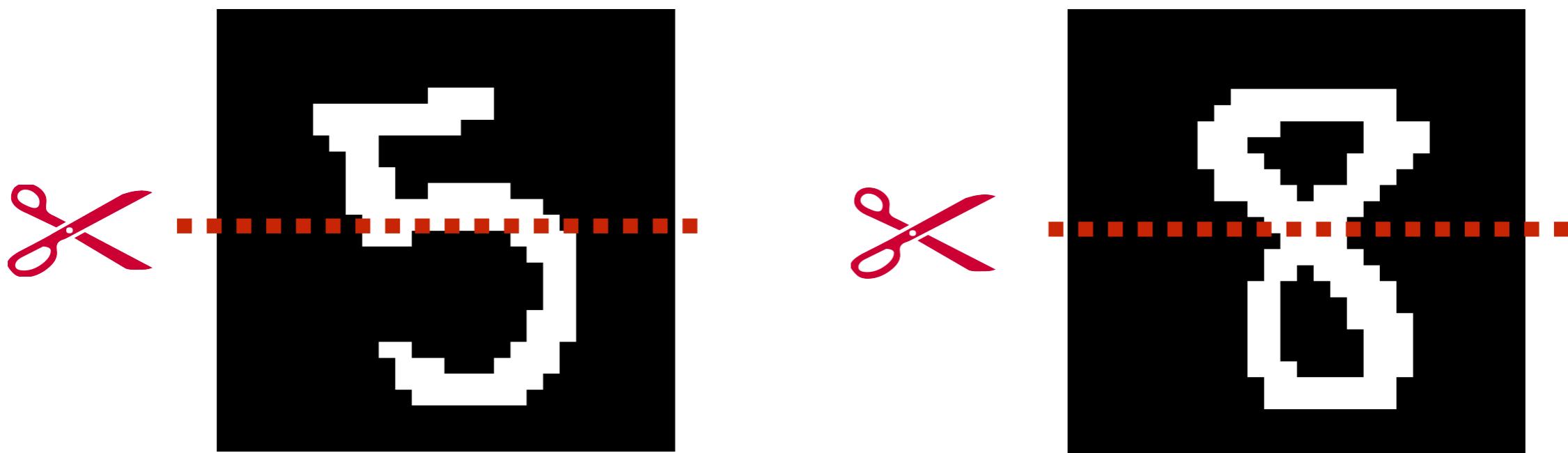
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# Quantum Perspective on Deep Learning

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# Quantum Perspective on Deep Learning

## Classical Mutual Information

$$I = - \left\langle \ln \left\langle \frac{p(\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y}') p(\mathbf{x}', \mathbf{y})}{p(\mathbf{x}', \mathbf{y}') p(\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y})} \right\rangle_{\mathbf{x}', \mathbf{y}'} \right\rangle_{\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y}}$$

## Quantum Renyi Entanglement Entropy

$$S = - \ln \left\langle \left\langle \frac{\Psi(\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y}') \Psi(\mathbf{x}', \mathbf{y})}{\Psi(\mathbf{x}', \mathbf{y}') \Psi(\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y})} \right\rangle_{\mathbf{x}', \mathbf{y}'} \right\rangle_{\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y}}$$

**Striking similarity implies common inductive bias**

- + Quantitative & interpretable approaches
- + Principled structure design & learning

Cheng, Chen, LW,  
1712.04144

# Deep Learning and Quantum Entanglement: Fundamental Connections with Implications to Network Design

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## Abstract

Deep convolutional networks have witnessed unprecedented success in various machine learning applications. Formal understanding on what makes these networks so successful is gradually unfolding, but for the most part there are still significant mysteries to unravel. The inductive bias, which reflects prior knowledge embedded in the network architecture, is one of them. In this work, we establish a fundamental connection between the fields of quantum physics and deep learning. We use this connection for asserting novel theoretical observations regarding the role that the number of channels in each layer of the convolutional network fulfills in the overall inductive bias. Specifically, we show an equivalence between the function realized by a deep convolutional arithmetic circuit (ConvAC) and a quantum many-body wave function, which relies on their common underlying tensorial structure. This facilitates the use of quantum entanglement measures as well-defined quantifiers of a deep network's expressive ability to model intricate correlation structures of its inputs. Most importantly, the construction of a deep convolutional arithmetic circuit in terms of a Tensor Network is made available. This description enables us to carry a graph-theoretic analysis of a convolutional network, tying its expressiveness to a min-cut in the graph which characterizes it. Thus, we demonstrate a direct control over the inductive bias of the designed deep convolutional network via its channel numbers, which we show to be related to the min-cut in the underlying graph. This result is relevant to any practitioner designing a convolutional network for a specific task. We theoretically analyze convolutional arithmetic circuits, and empirically validate our findings on more common convolutional networks which involve ReLU activations and max pooling. Beyond the results described above, the description of a deep convolutional network in well-defined graph-theoretic tools and the formal structural connection to quantum entanglement, are two interdisciplinary bridges that are brought forth by this work.

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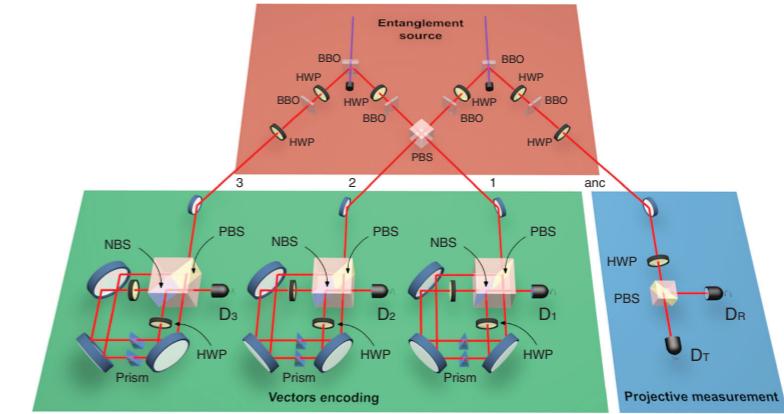
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# *Quantum Machine Learning*

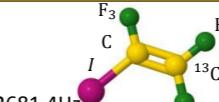
# Quantum Machine Learning

- Search
- Sampling
- Clustering
- Optimization
- Linear system solver
- Support vector machines
- Principal component analysis



Cai et al, PRL 114, 110504 (2015)

$^{13}C$	$F_1$	$F_2$	$F_3$
$^{13}C$	15479.9Hz		
$F_1$	-297.7Hz	-33130.1Hz	
$F_2$	-275.7Hz	64.6Hz	-42681.4Hz
$F_3$	39.1Hz	51.5Hz	-129.0Hz
$T_2^*$	1.22s	0.66s	0.63s
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			4.8s



Li et al, PRL 114, 140504 (2015)

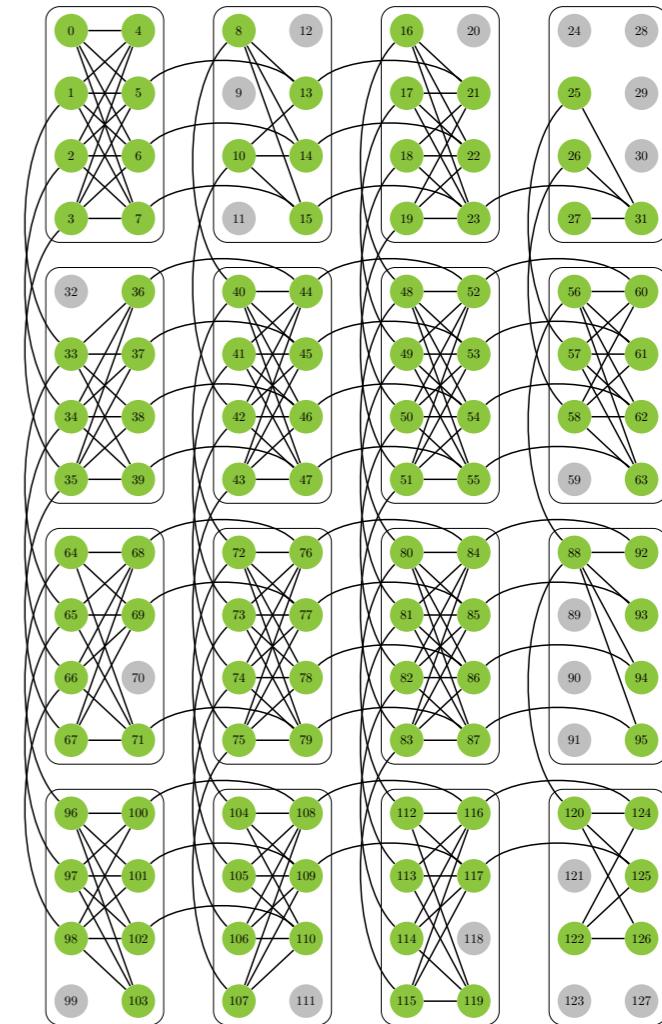
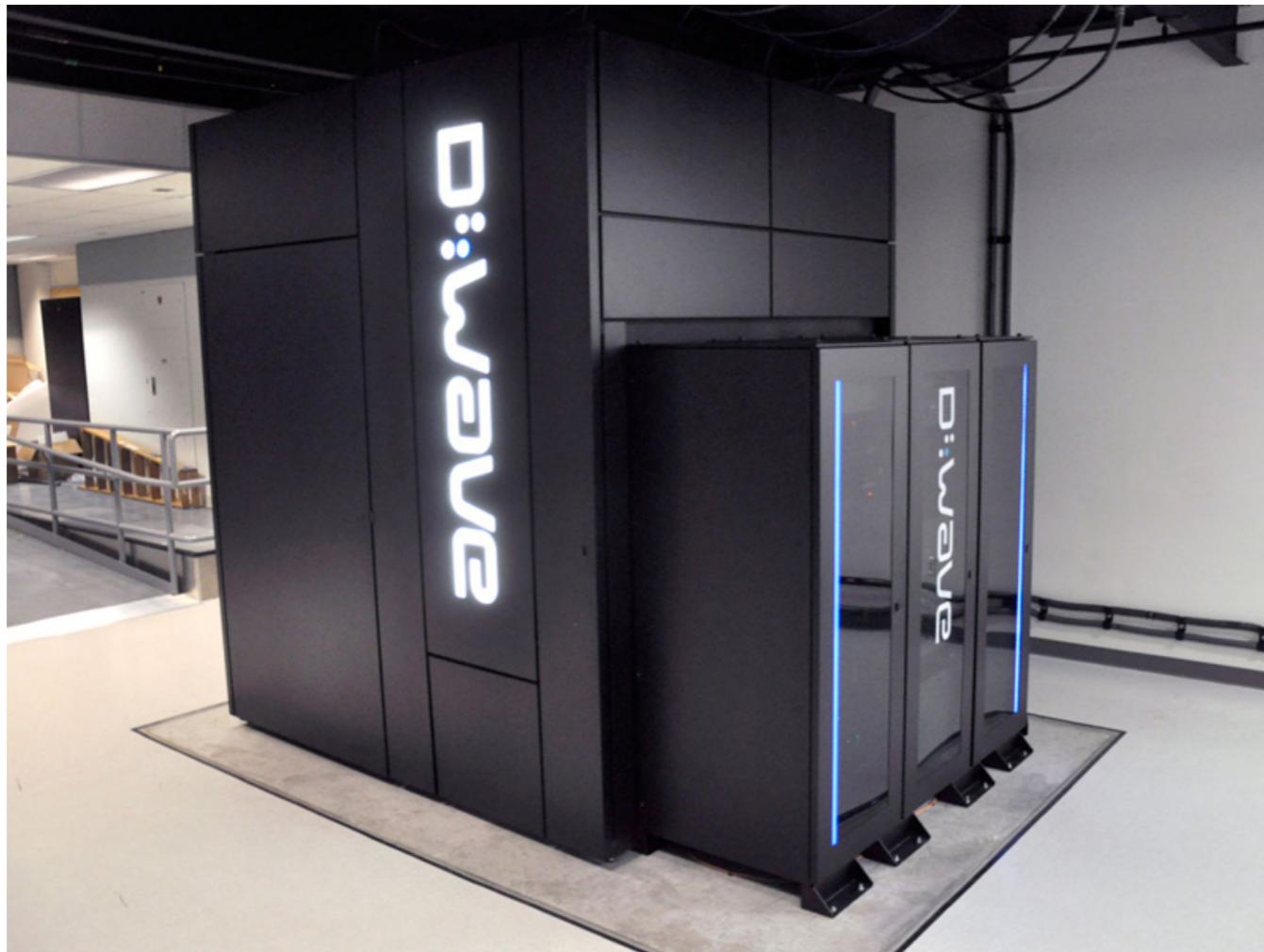
few qubits demo

**“Use a quantum computer to speed up  
ML subroutines”**

Review “Quantum machine learning”, Biamonte et al, Nature 2017

# Quantum Boltzmann Machines

\$15 million “analog quantum device”



~2000  
“qubits”

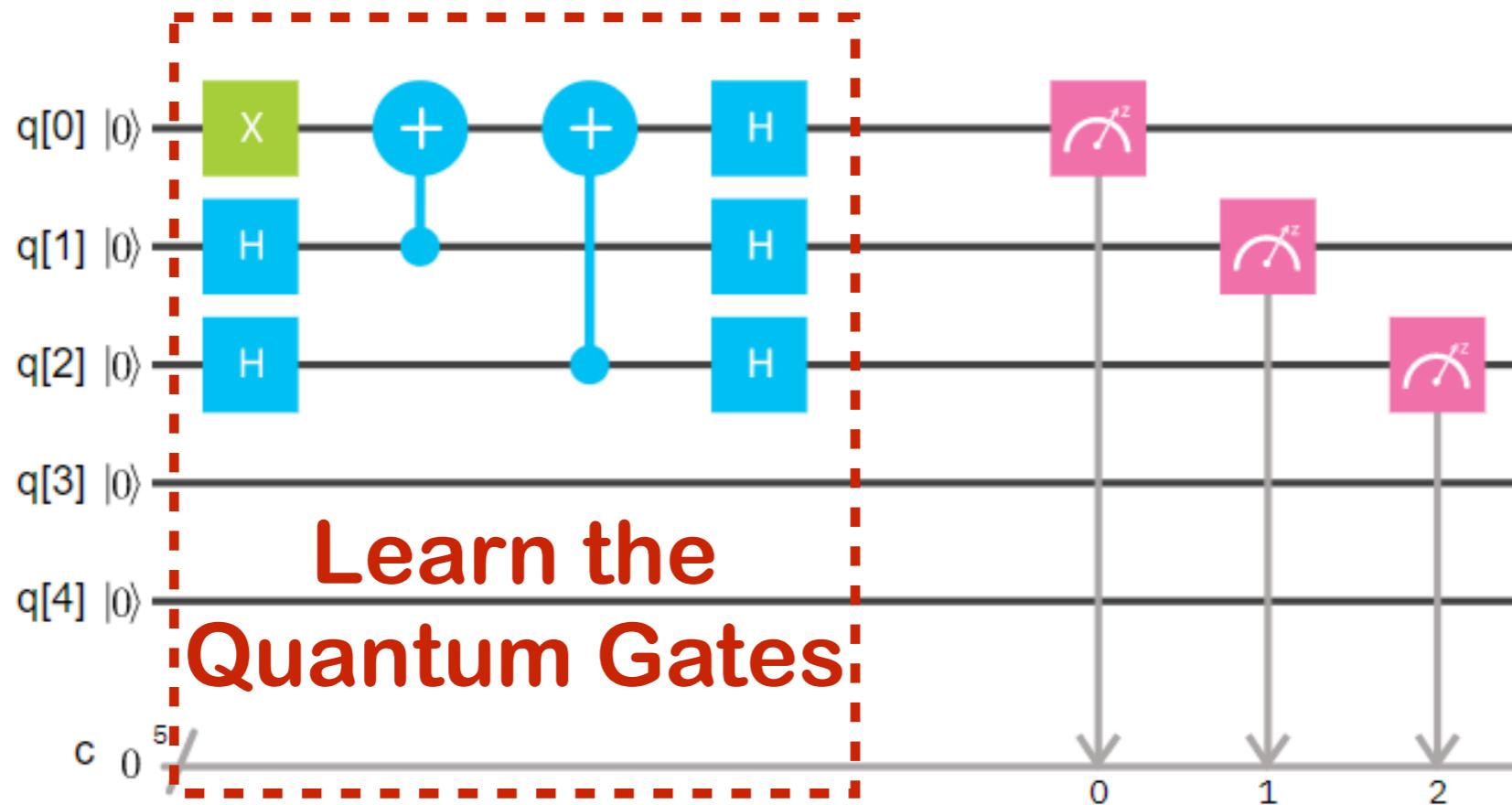
Is there any advantage of this quantum architecture?

Amin et al, 1601.02036 Perdomo-Ortiz et al, 1708.09757

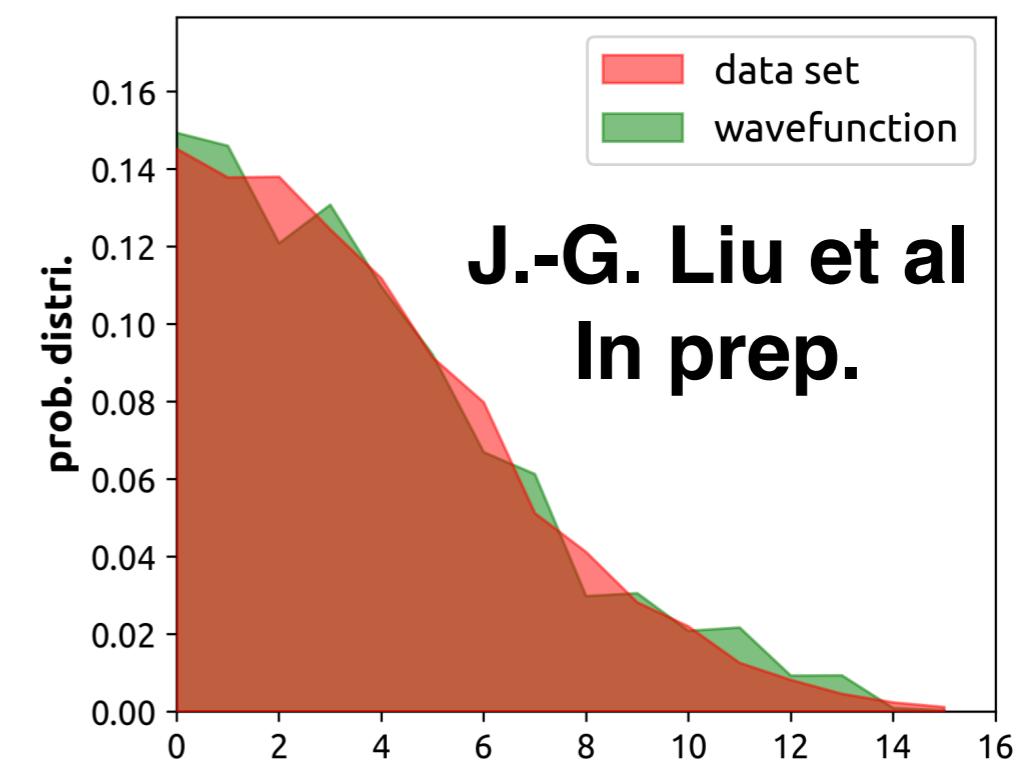
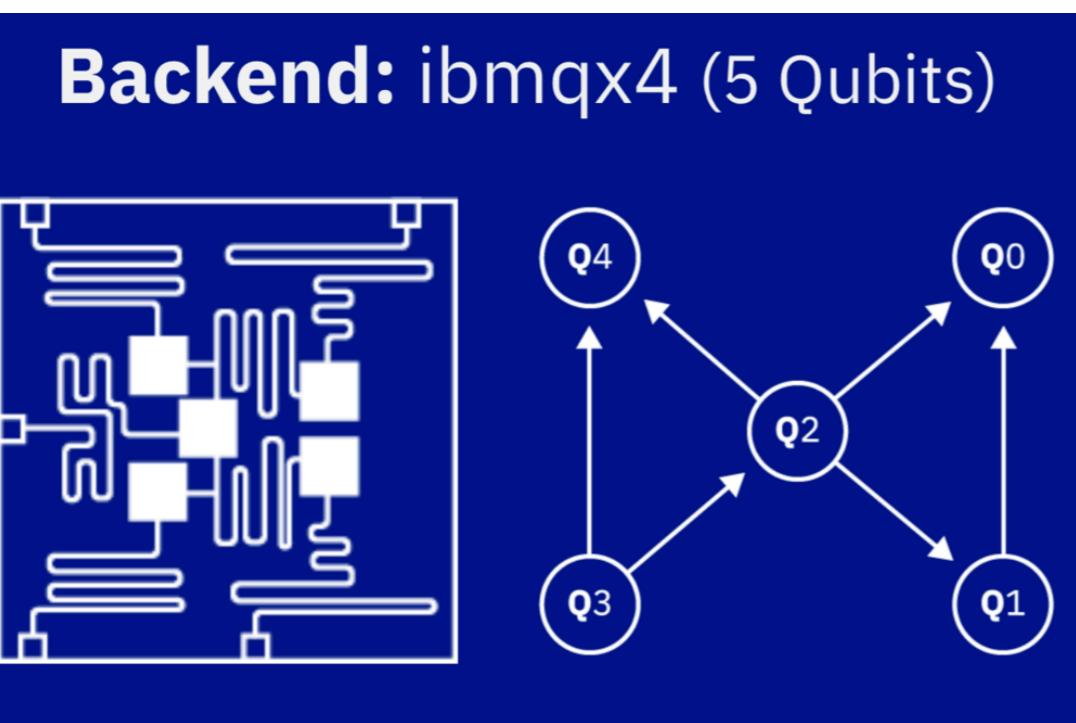
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# Born Machine in the Cloud

Initial State

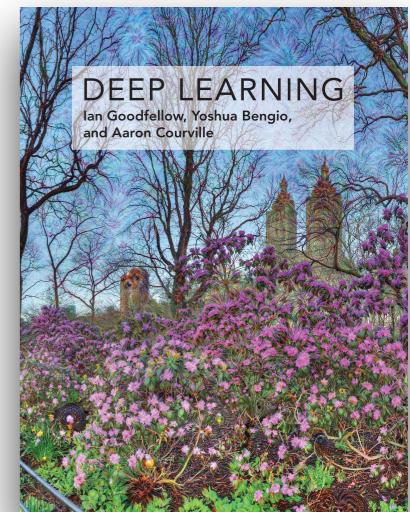
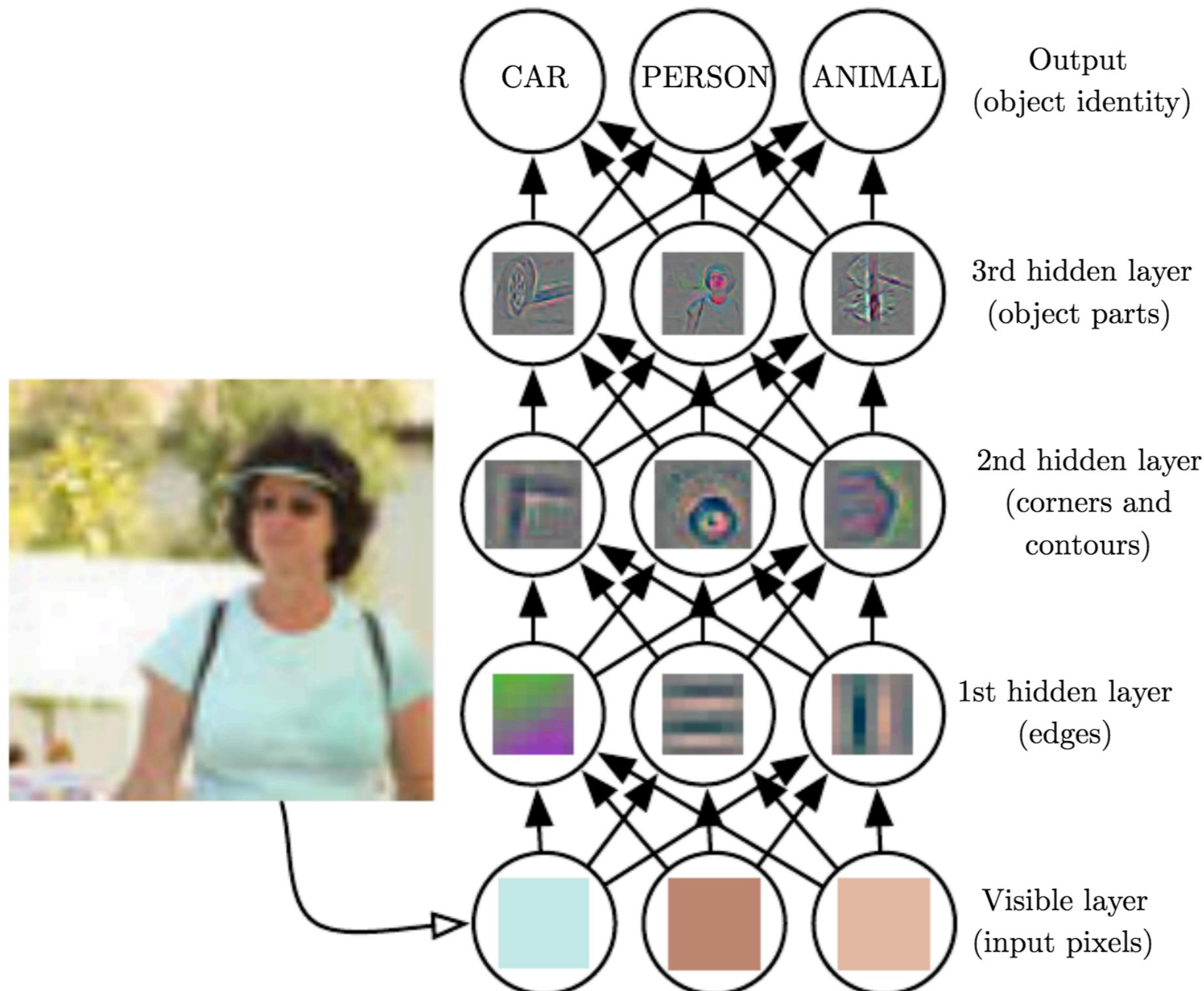


Collapse to a bit-string by measurement



# *Renormalization Group*

# Deep Neural Network and RG



# Deep learning and the renormalization group

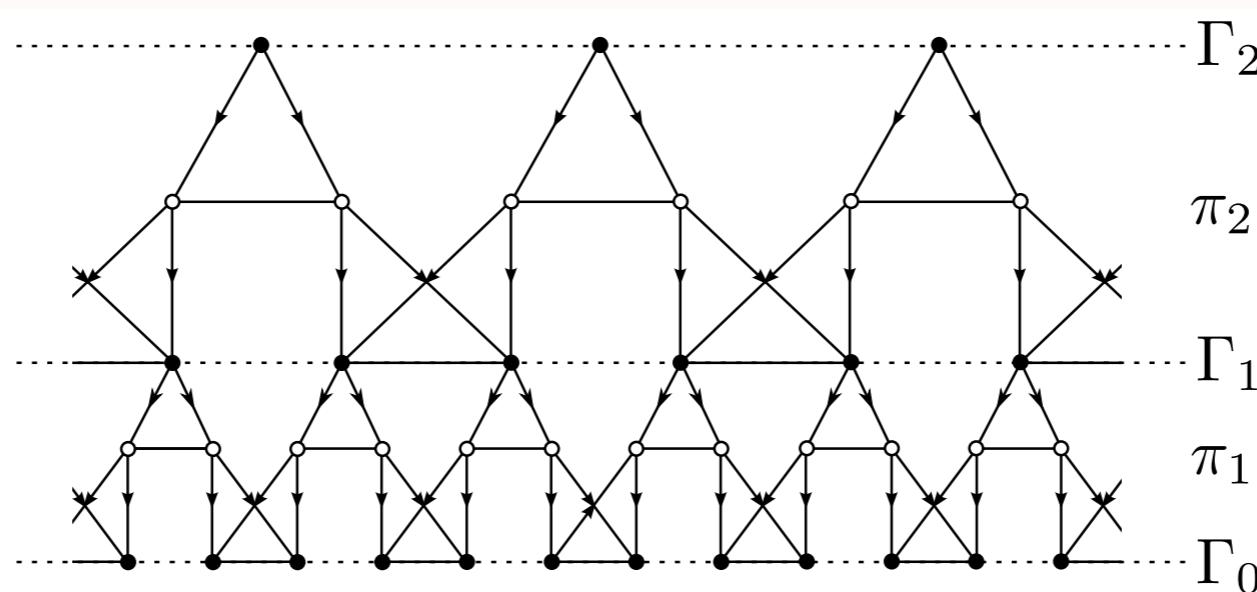


Cédric Bény

15 Jan 2013 ICLR 2013 conference submission readers: everyone

**Decision:** reject

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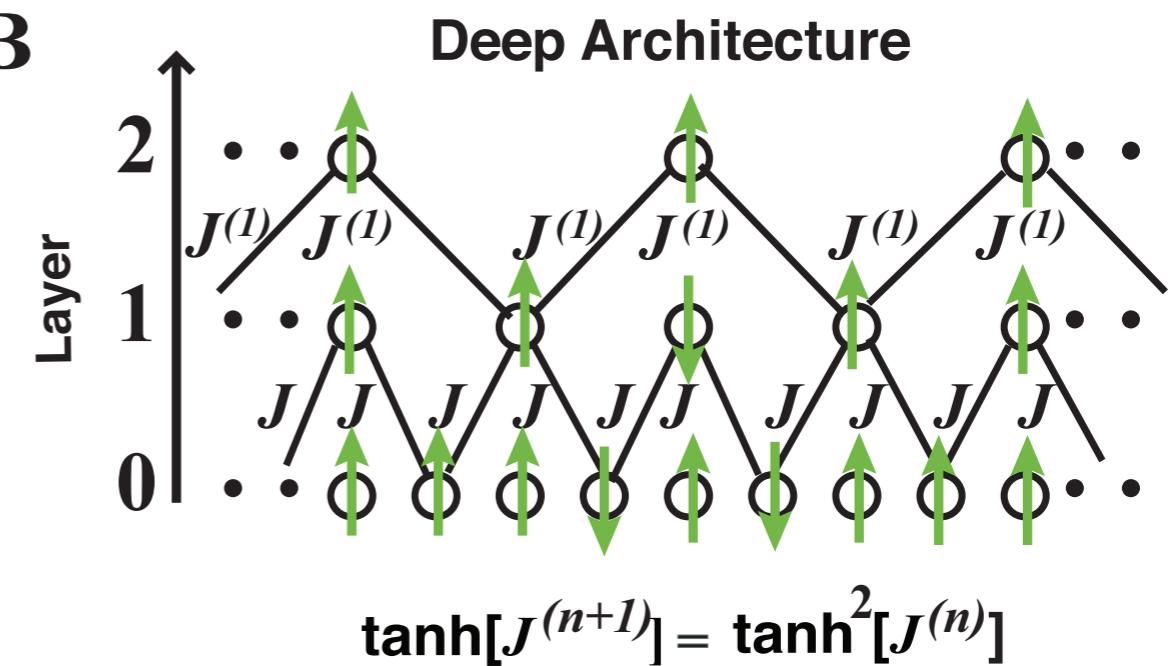
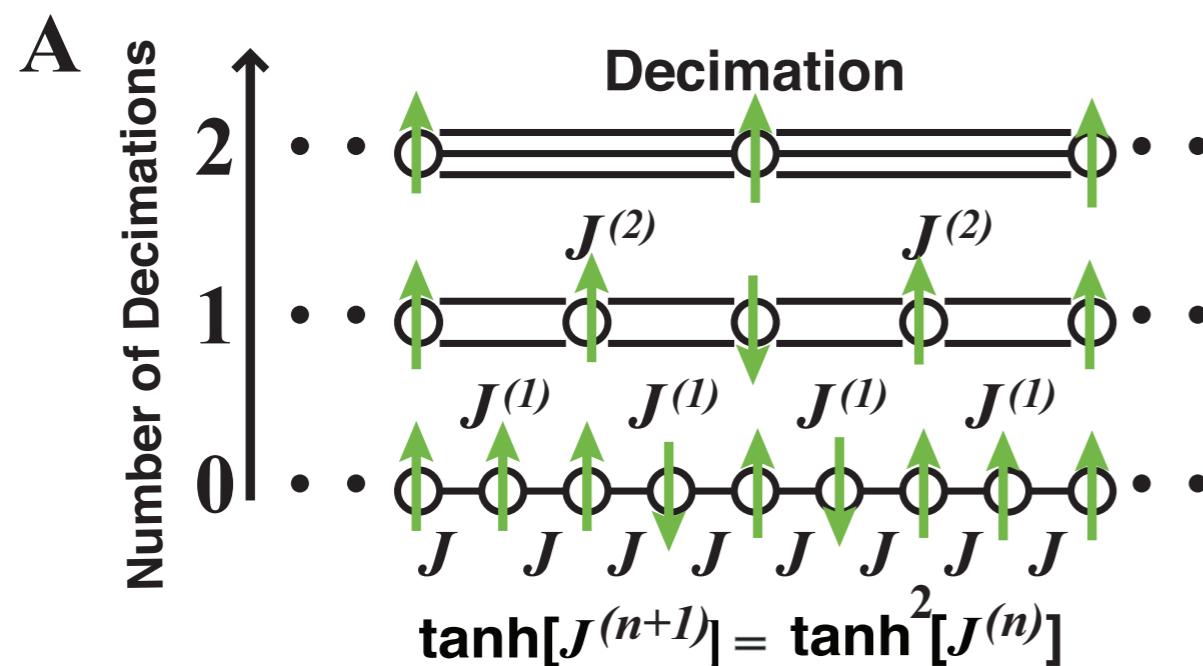


Olena Shmahalo / Quanta Magazine

There may be a universal logic to how physicists, computers and brains tease out important features from among other irrelevant bits of data.

“An exact mapping between the Variational Renormalization Group and Deep Learning”, Mehta and Schwab, 1410.3831

# “Exact Mapping”



$$e^{-H(\mathbf{h})} = \sum_{\mathbf{x}} e^{T(\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{h}) - H(\mathbf{x})}$$

RG Transformation

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Boltzmann Machine

# Harsh comments below the Quanta Magazine article

Noah says:

December 26, 2014 at 9:54 am

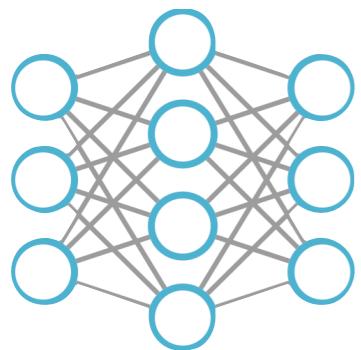
I just spend an hour reading Mehta-Schwab paper from the beginning to end. Let me say that “A Common Logic to Seeing Cats and Cosmos” is a sensationalist article about a trivial paper, which will have no impact whatsoever. The whole M-S paper is based on the fact that couplings of two systems appear in more than one context and that distributions can sometimes appear as marginal distributions on product spaces. There is no one-to-one mappings between renormalization group (RG) scheme of Kadanoff and Restricted Boltzmann Machines (RBM) in Deep Neural Networks (DNN) in their paper. What they show is that RBM can be represented as a RG scheme with a very specific choice of coupling function  $T$  in equation (18). Conveniently, this coupling function depends on the Hamiltonian of the spin system, which it normally should not. Equivalence in equations (8) and (9) is also not correct. Condition (9) of course implies that the scheme is exact, but not the other way around, unless the authors make some implicit assumptions about coupling function  $T$  not mentioned in the paper. The paper contains no non-trivial ideas, it does not “open up a door to something very exciting”, and I will not hold my breath expecting new breakthroughs because of this connection.

# Dictionary: RG vs Deep Learning

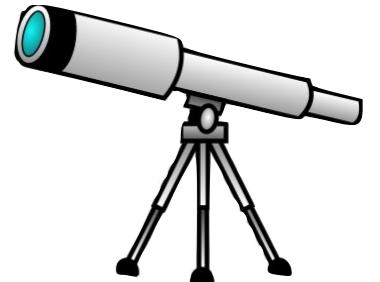
Property	Variational RG	Deep Belief Networks
How input distribution is defined	Hamiltonian defining $P(v)$	Data samples drawn from $P(v)$
How interactions are defined	$T(v,h)$	$E(v,h)$
Exact transformation	$\text{Tr}_h e^{T(v,h)} = 1$	KL divergence between $P(v)$ and variational distribution is zero
Approximations	Minimize or bound free energy differences	Minimize the KL divergence
Method	Analytic (mostly)	Numerical
What happens under coarse-graining	Relevant operators grow/irrelevant shrink	New features emerge

# More on the DL-RG Connections

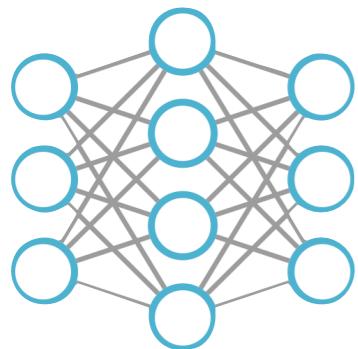
- “Why does deep and cheap learning work so well ”,  
Lin, Tegmark, Rolnick, 1608.08225
- Comment on the above paper, Schwab and Mehta,  
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- PCA meets RG, Bradde and Bialek, 1610.09733
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- Media coverage/blog posts/student term papers etc



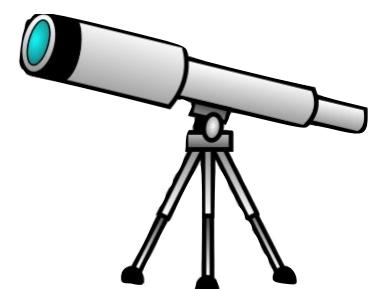
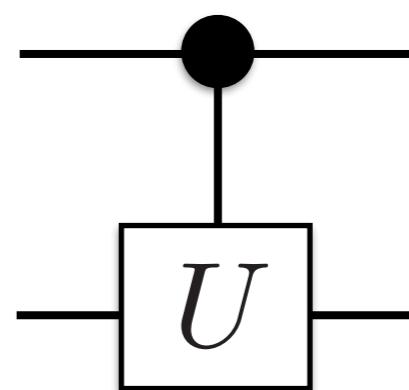
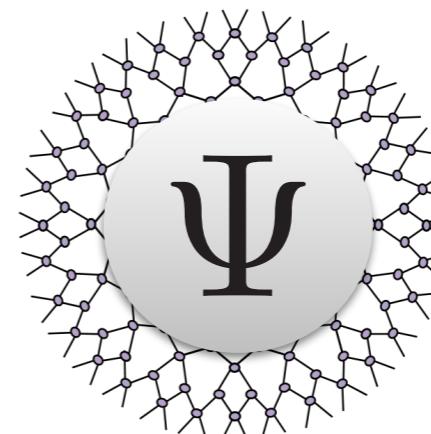
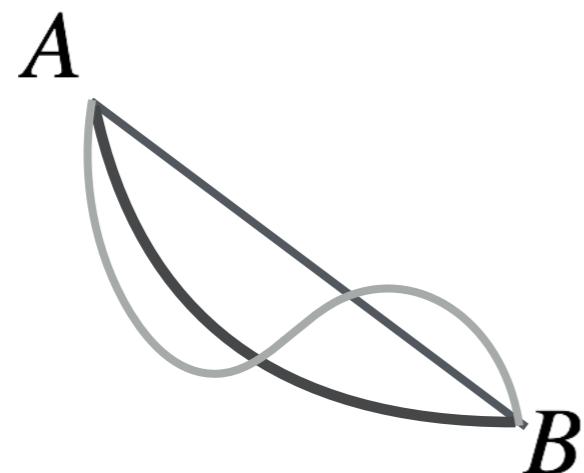
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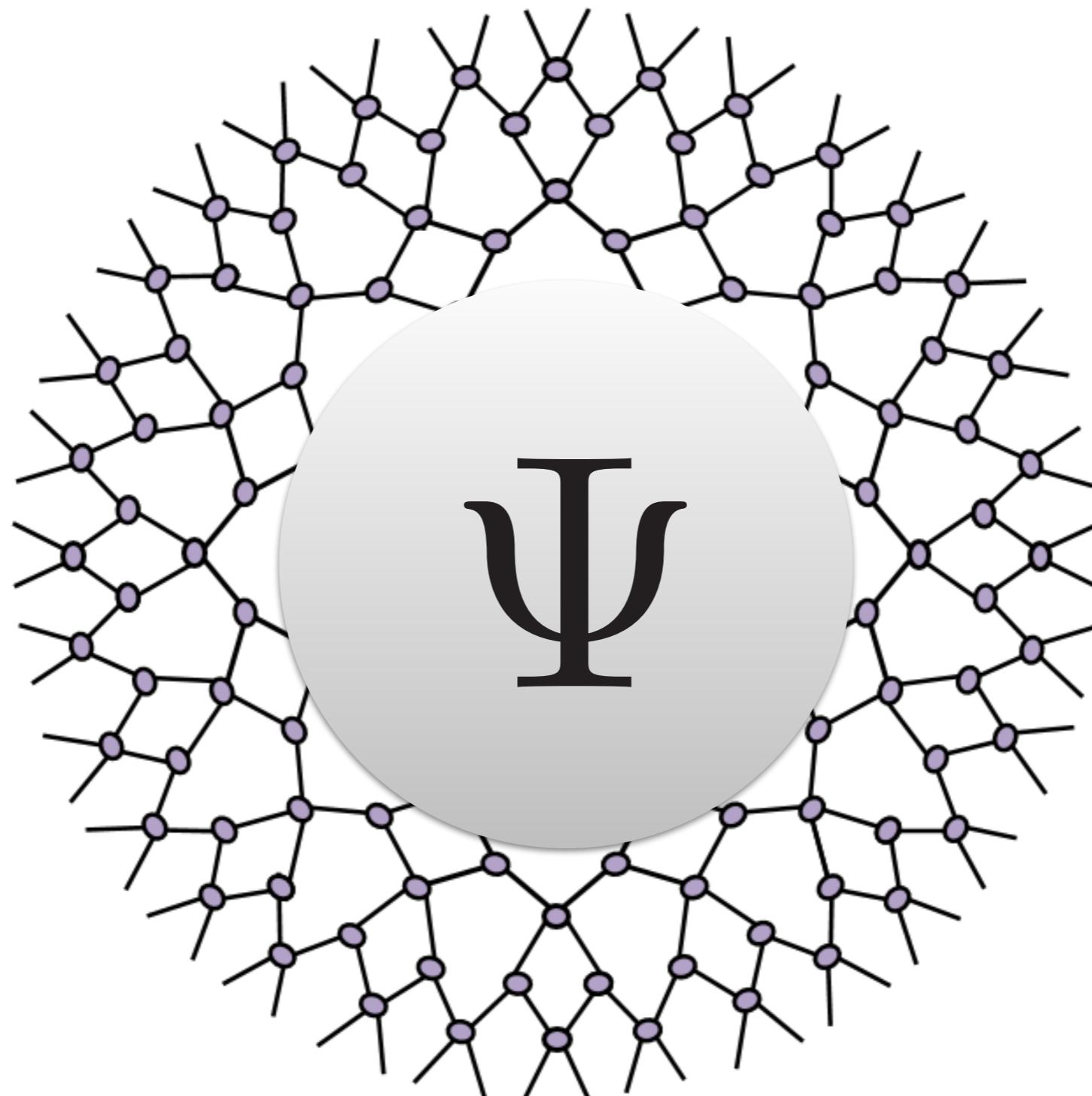
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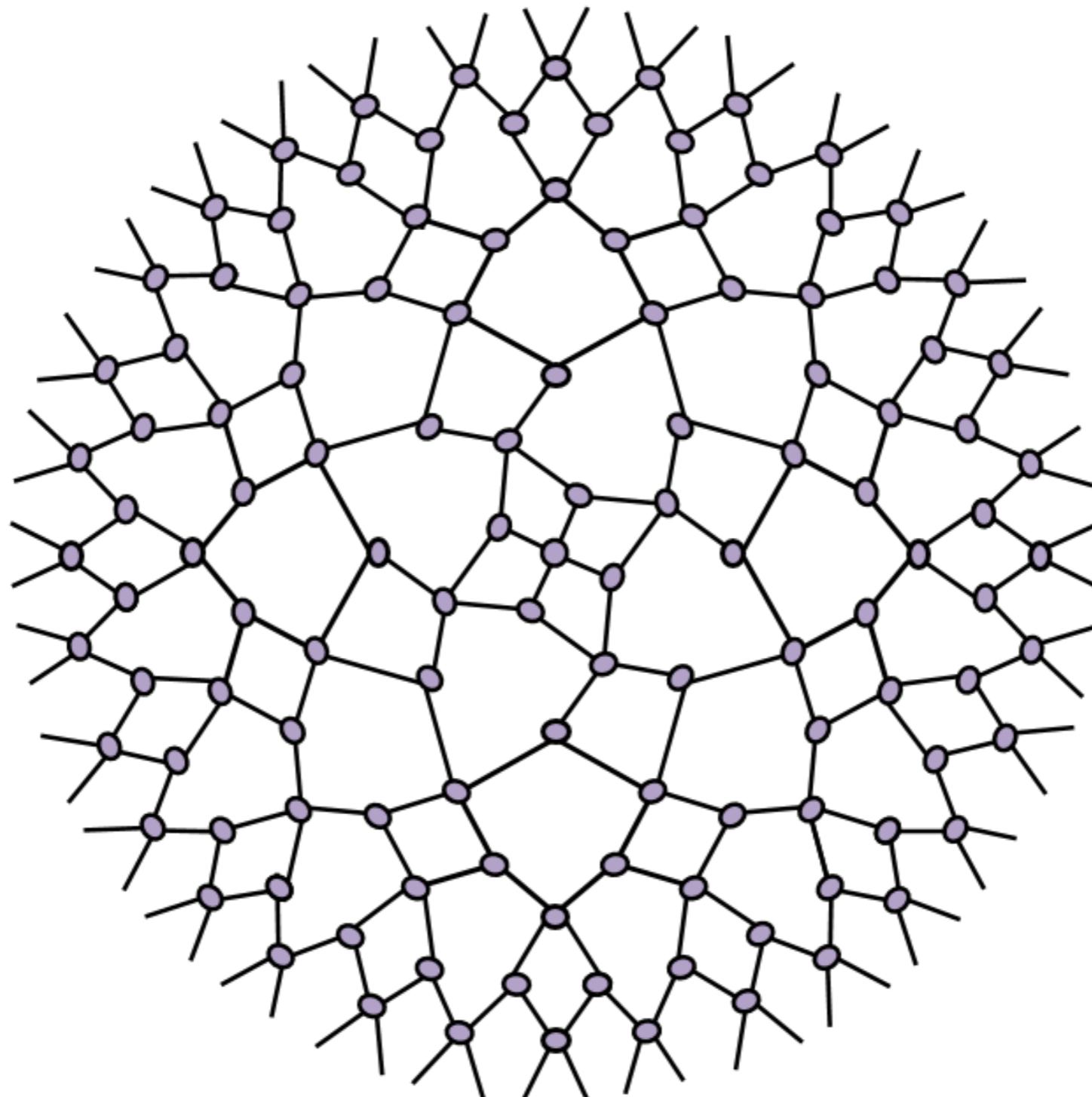
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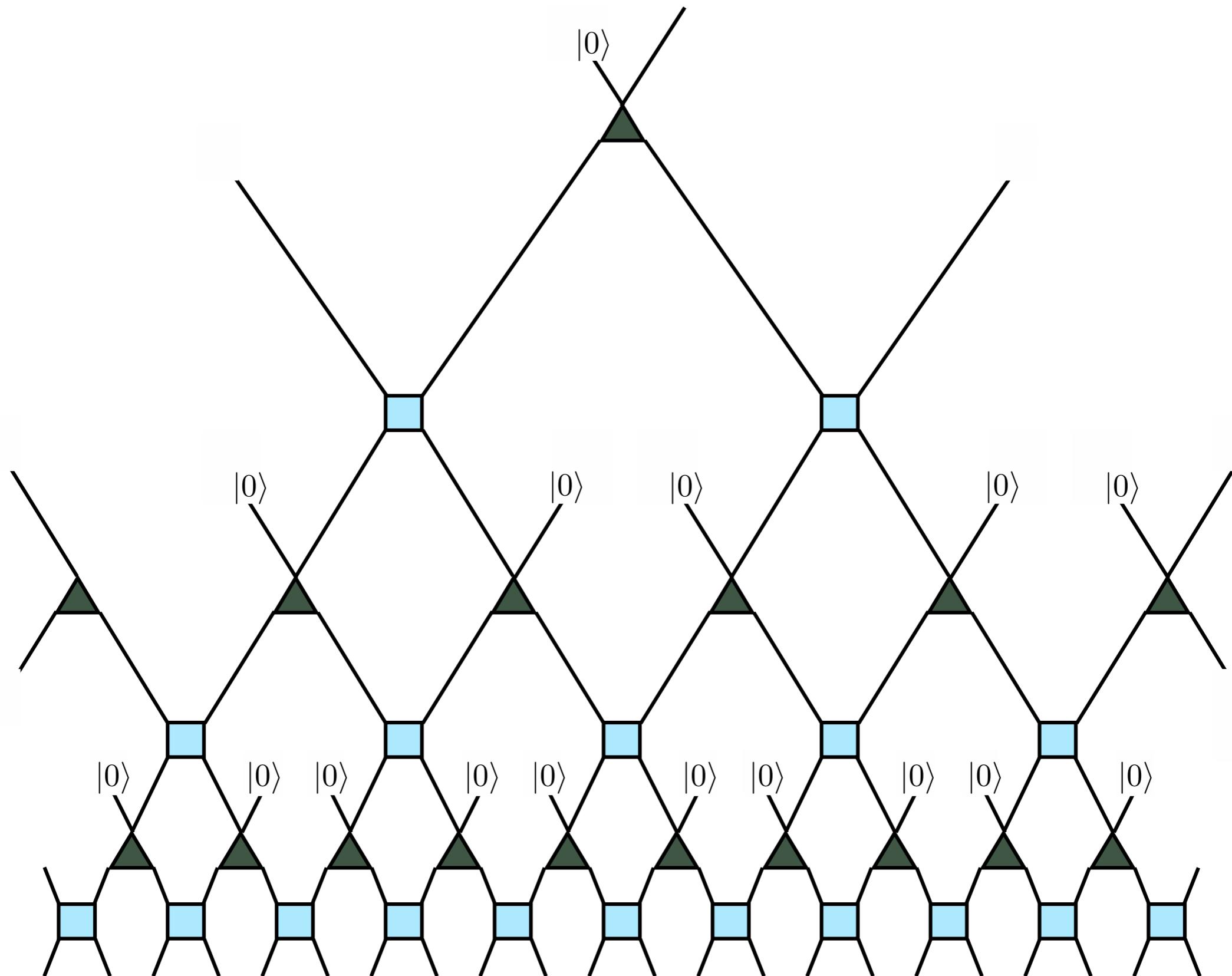
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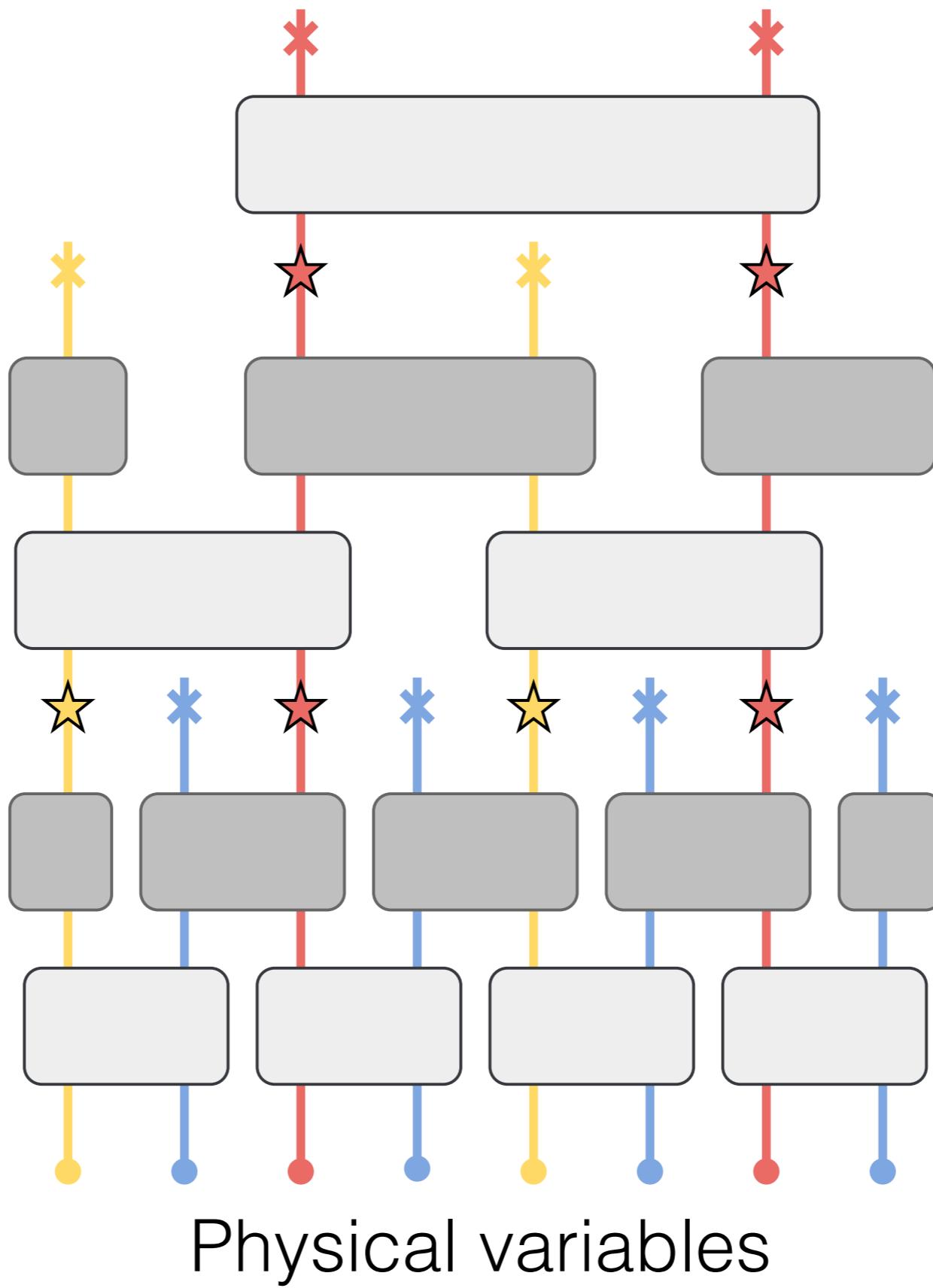
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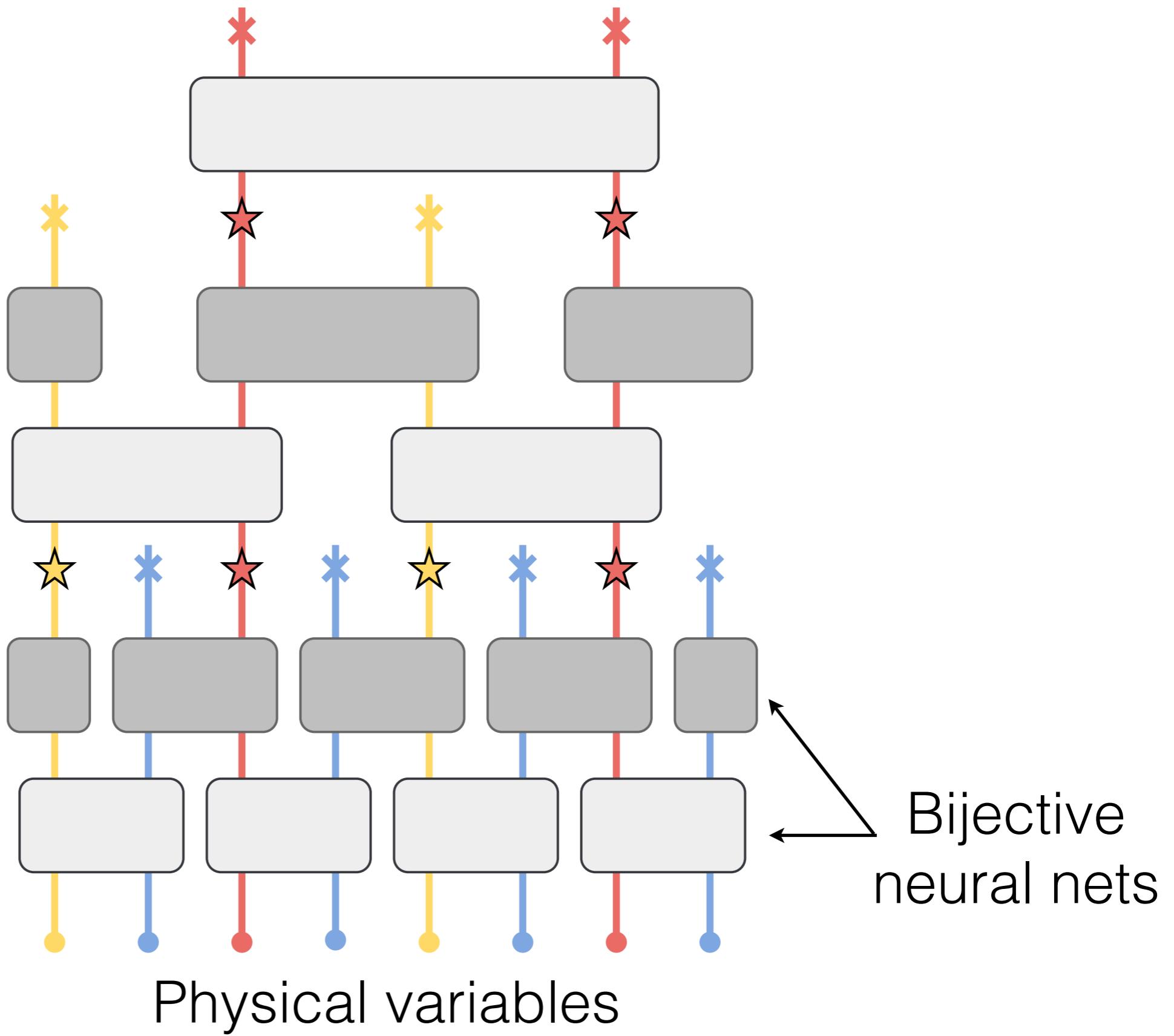
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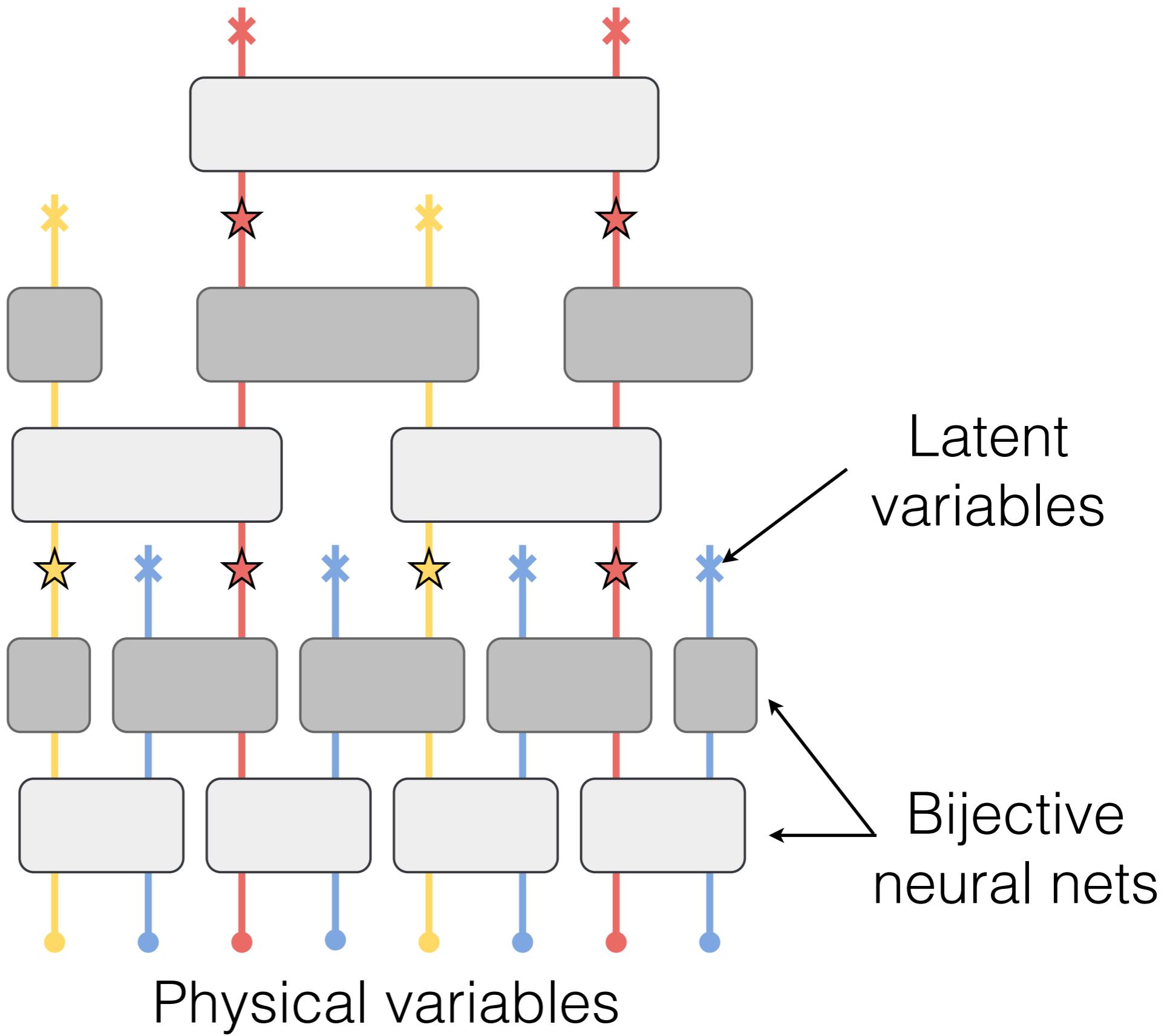
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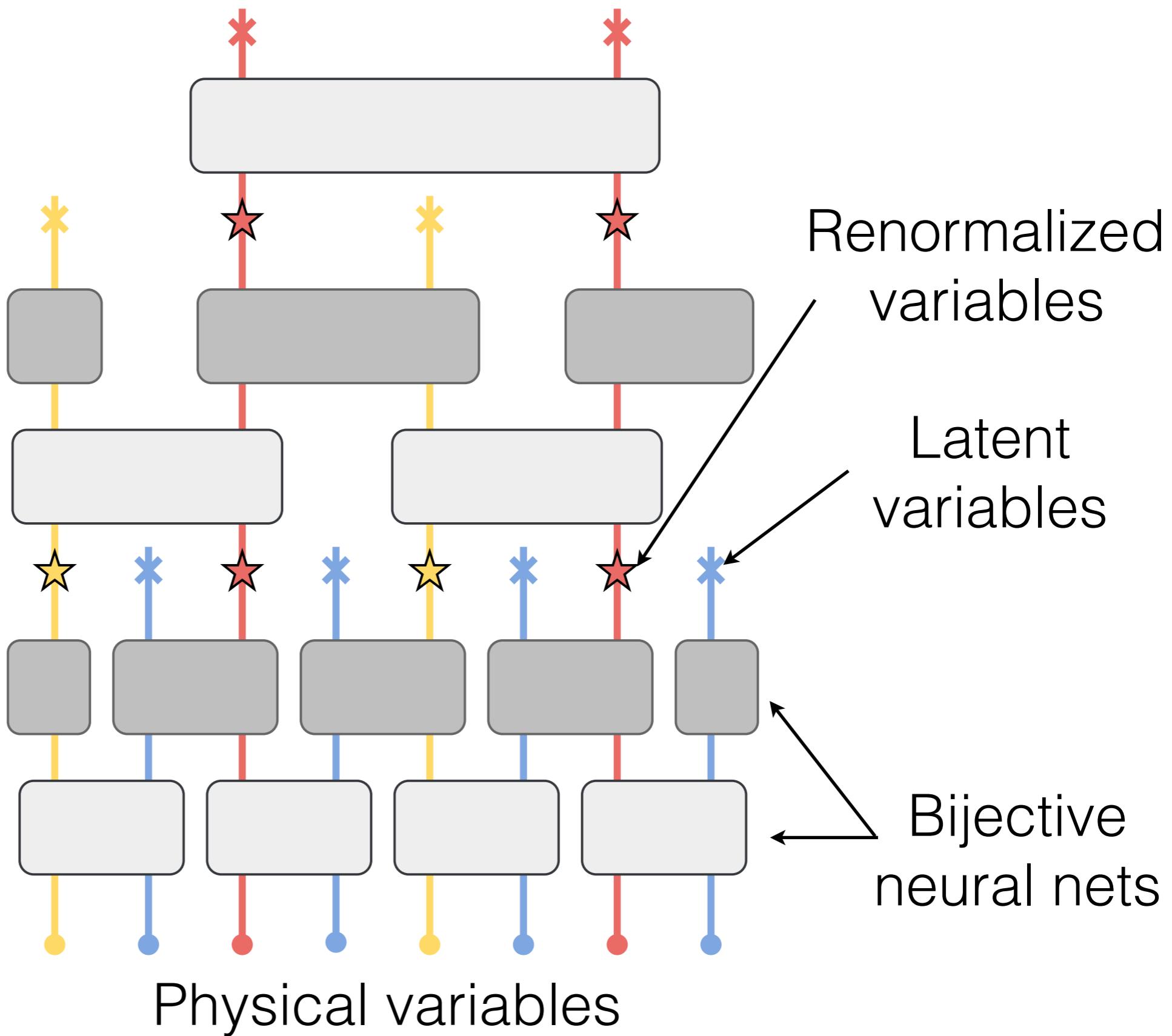
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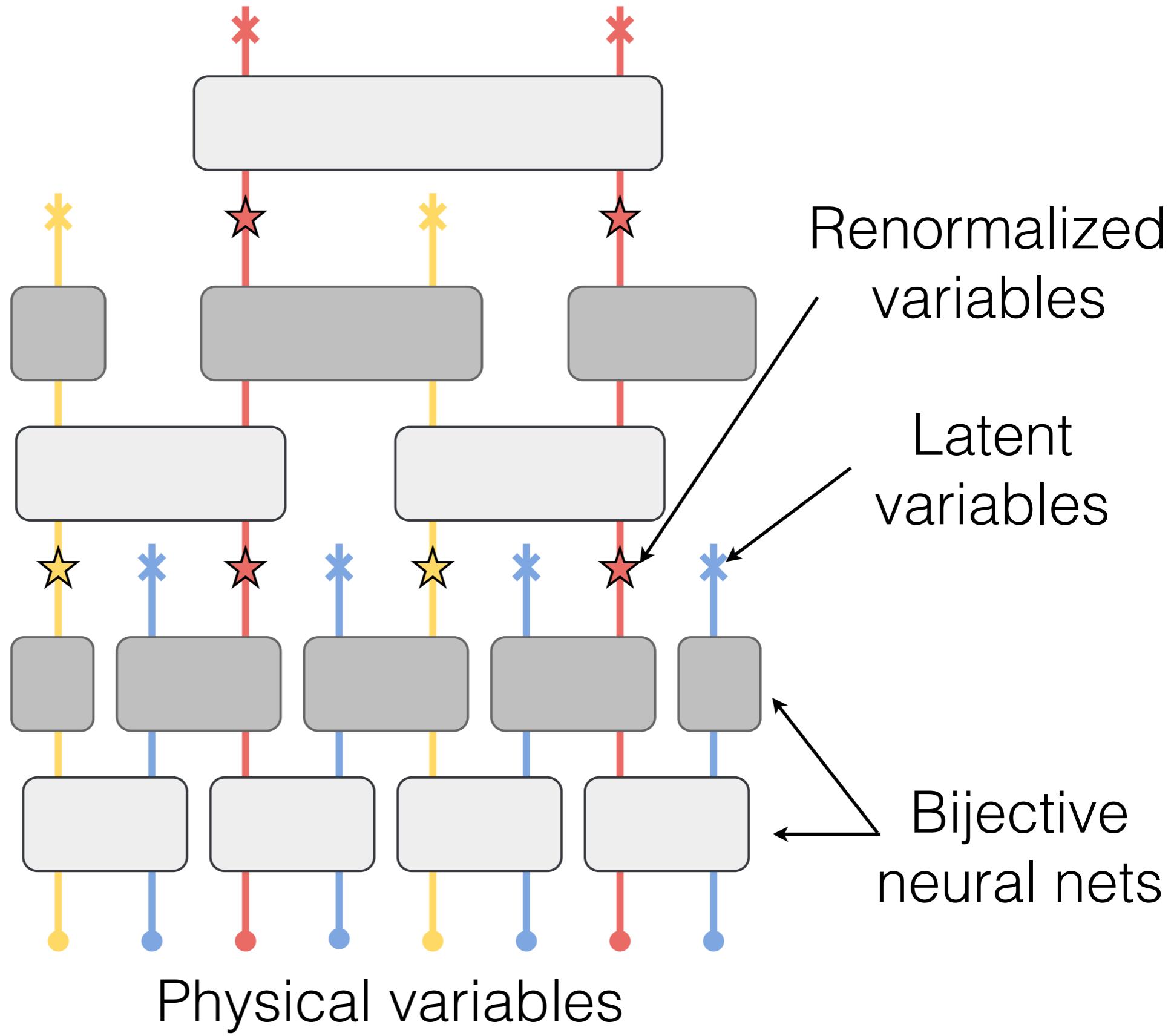


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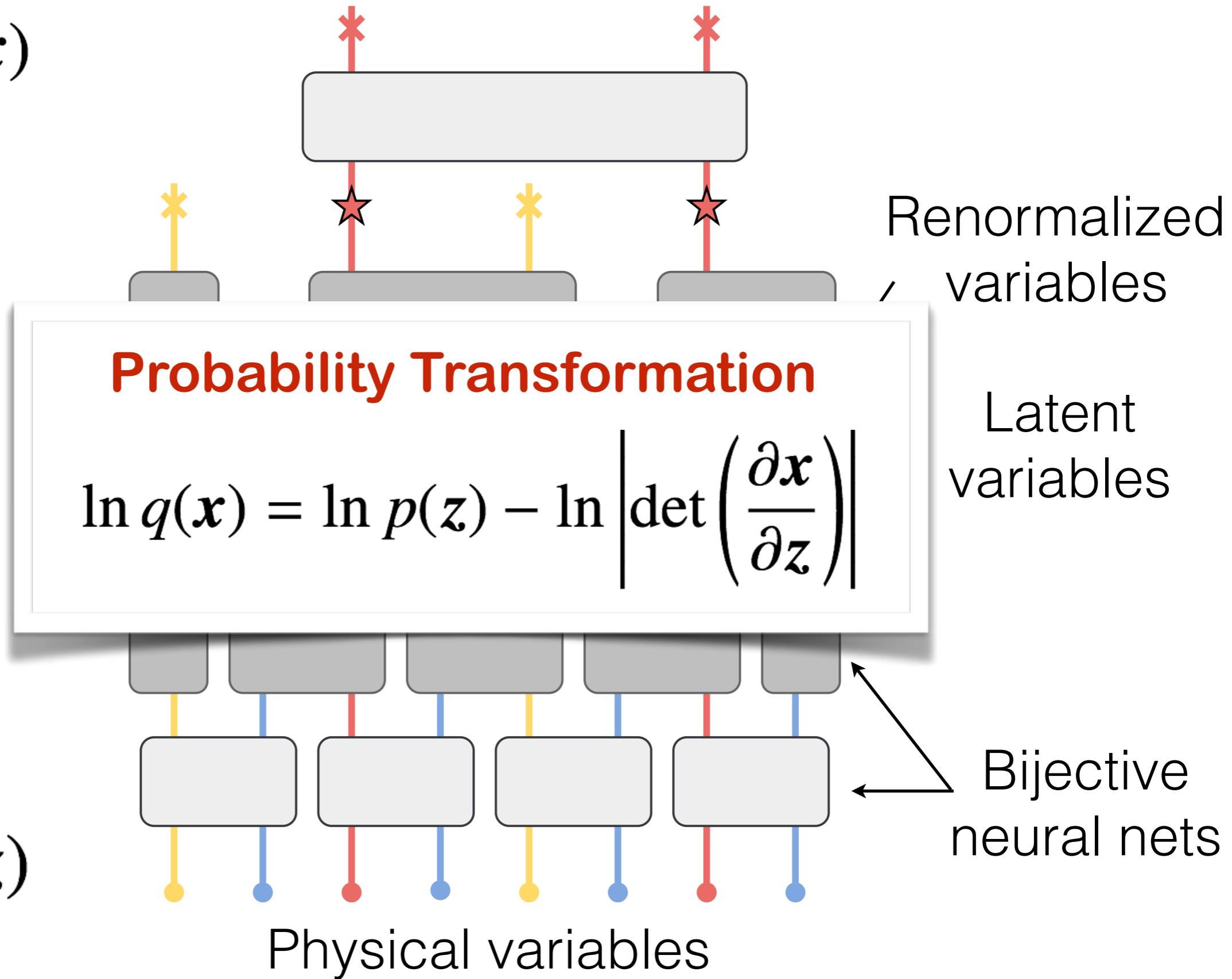


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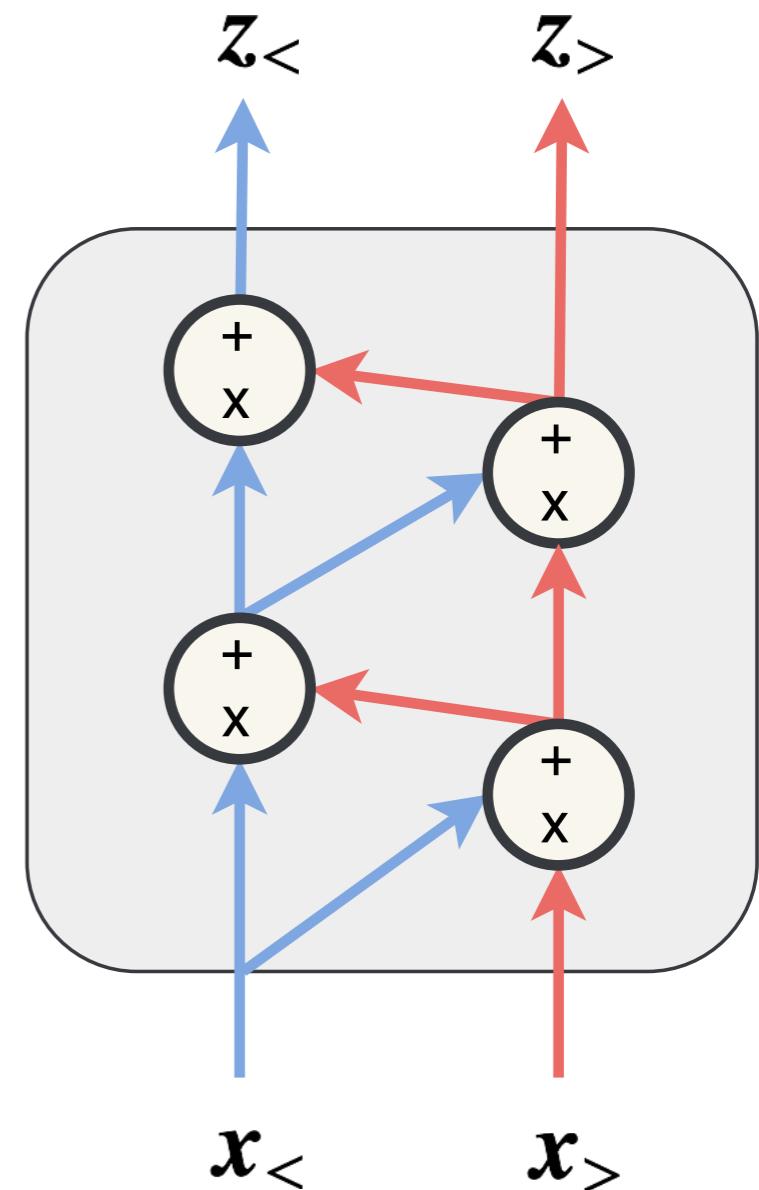
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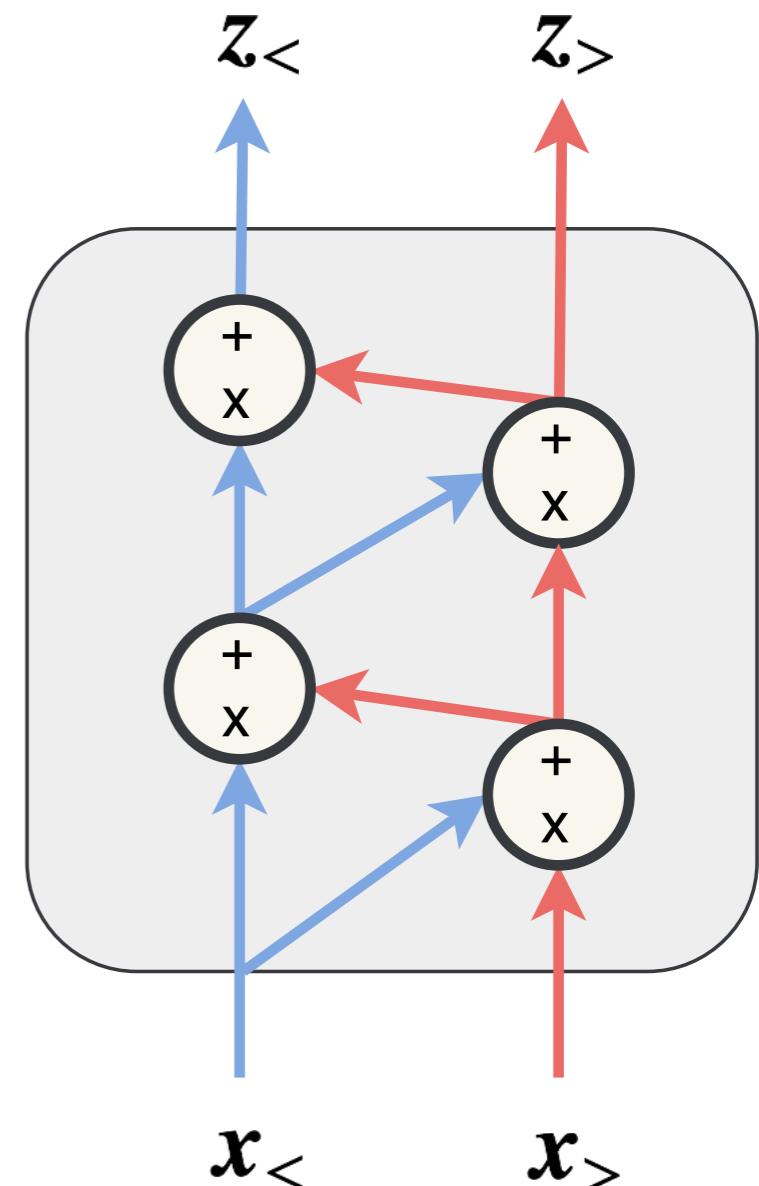
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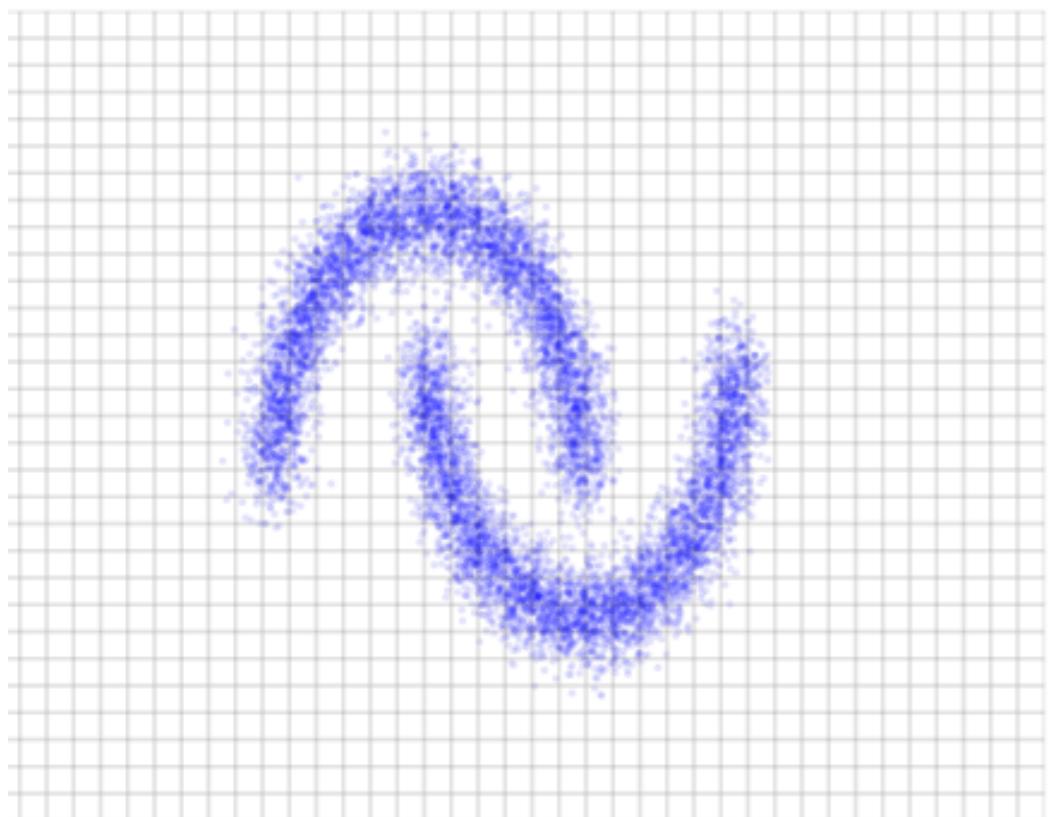
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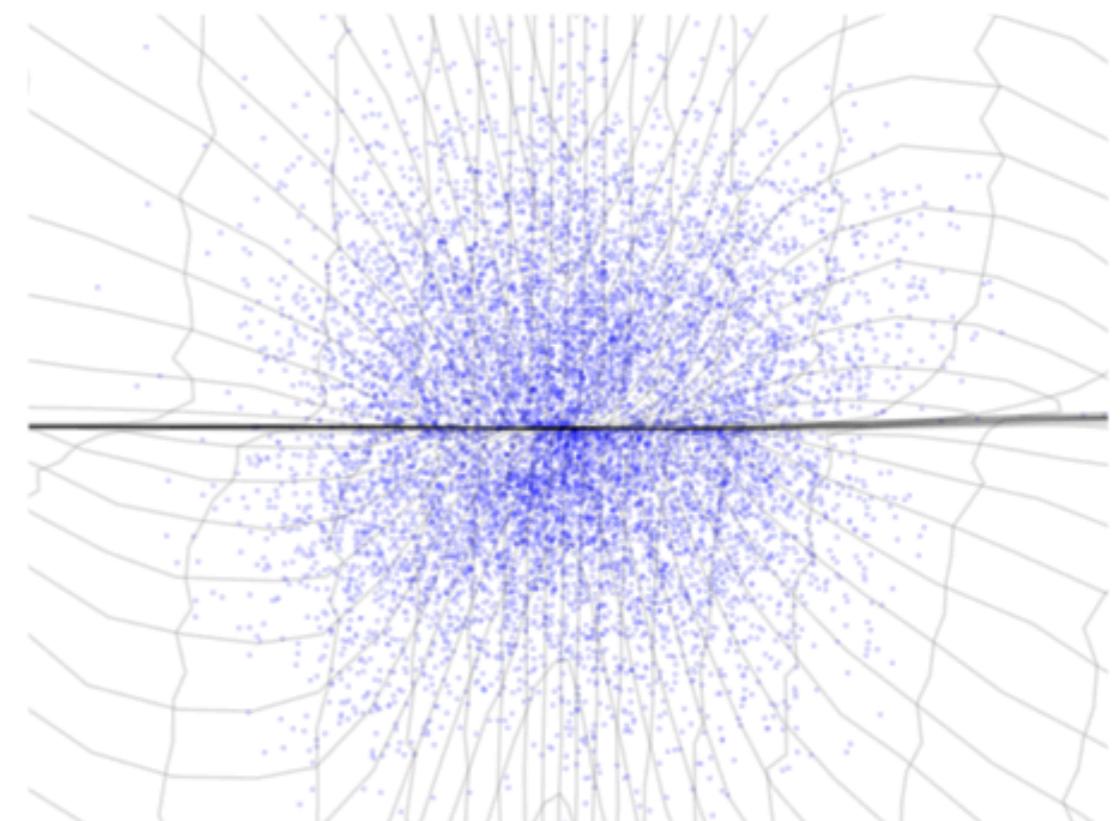
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Data space



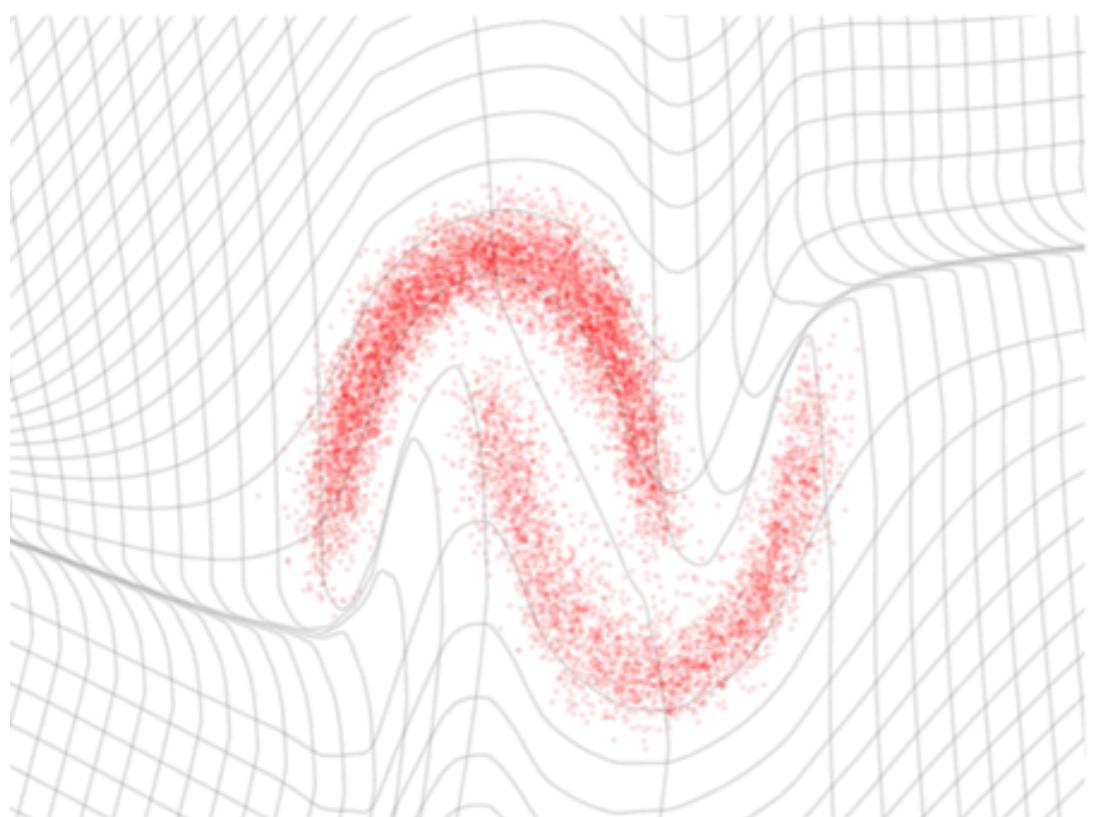
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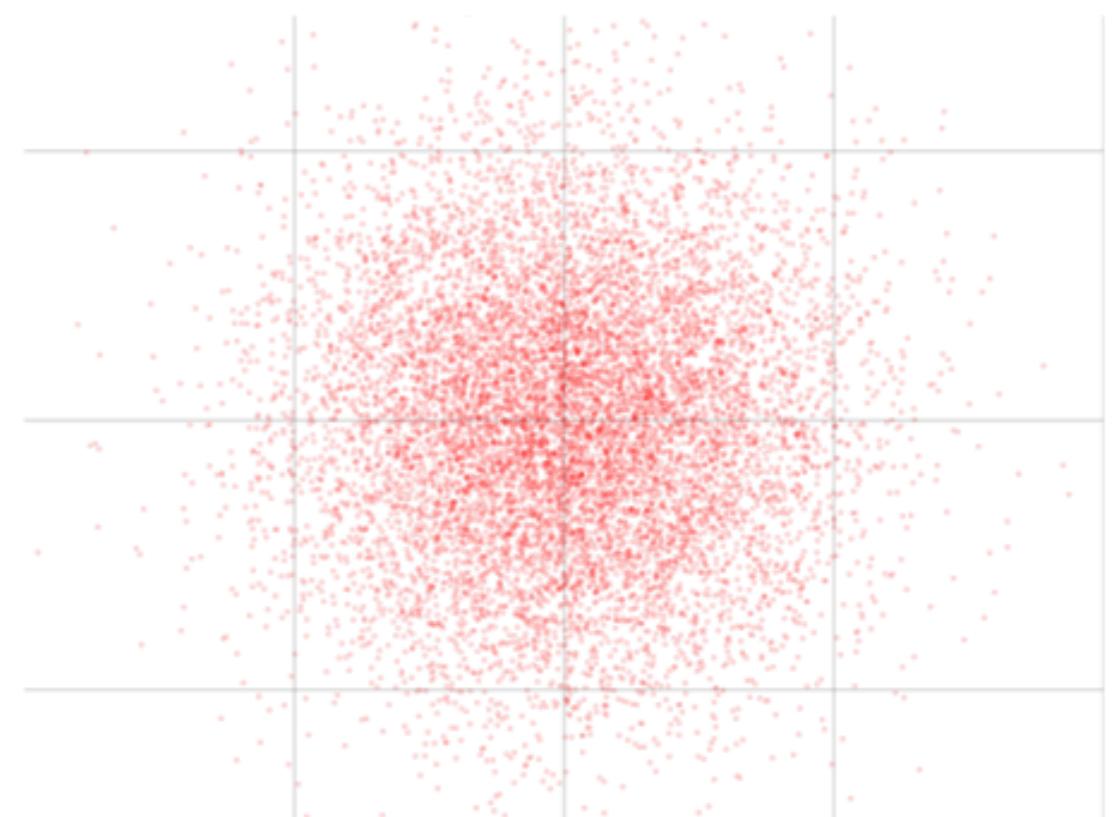
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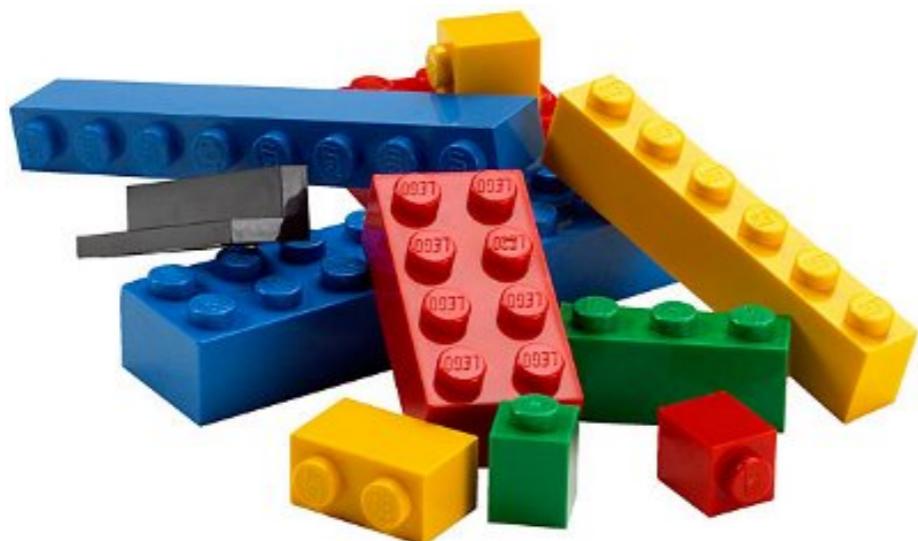


# Bijectors form a group

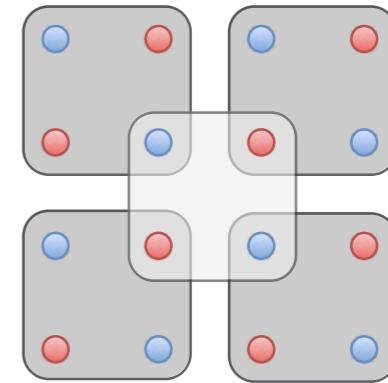
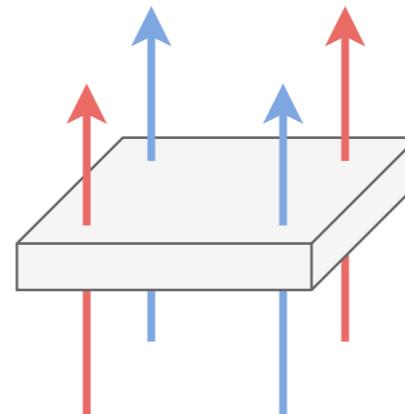
$$\mathbf{x} = g(\mathbf{z})$$

$$g = \cdots \circ g_2 \circ g_1$$

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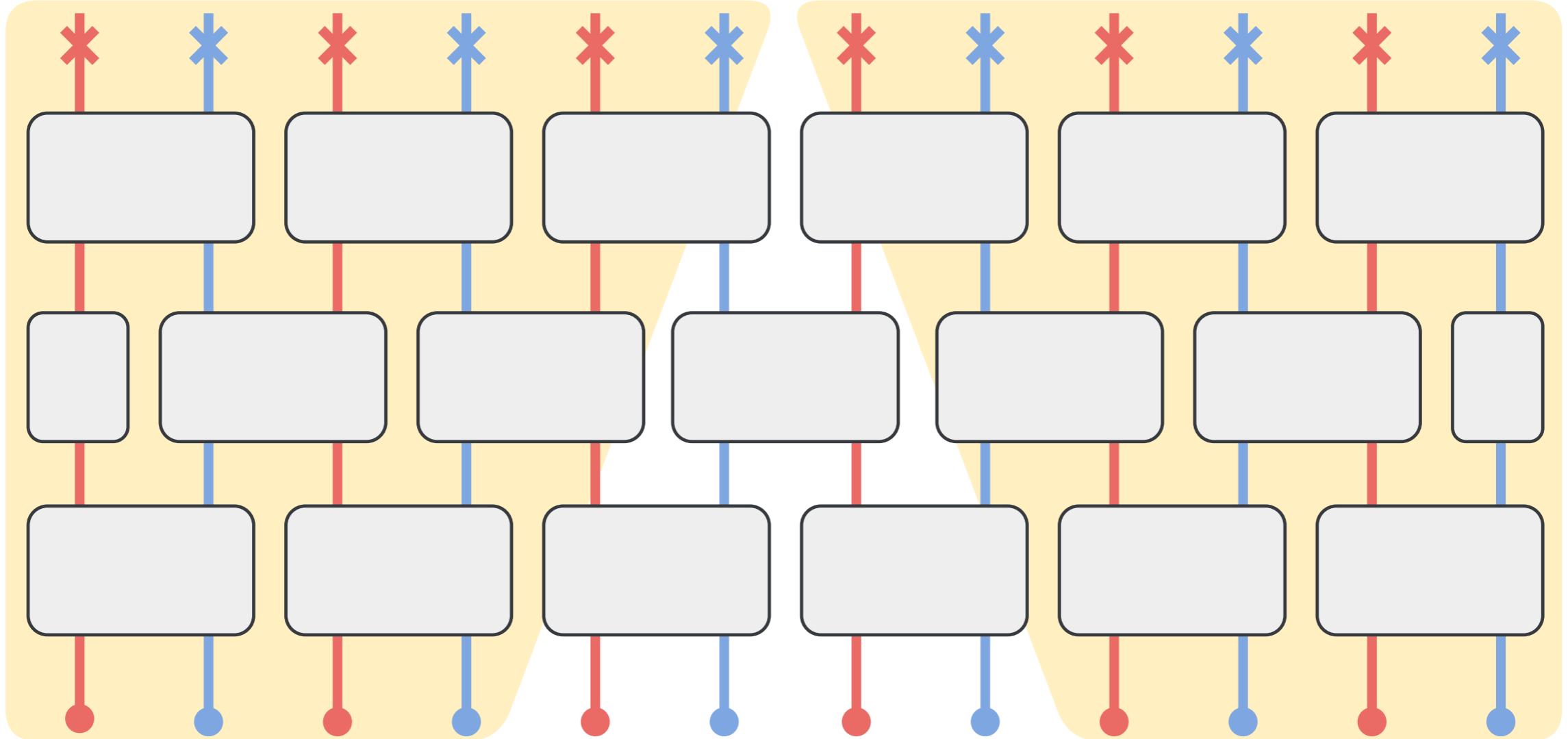


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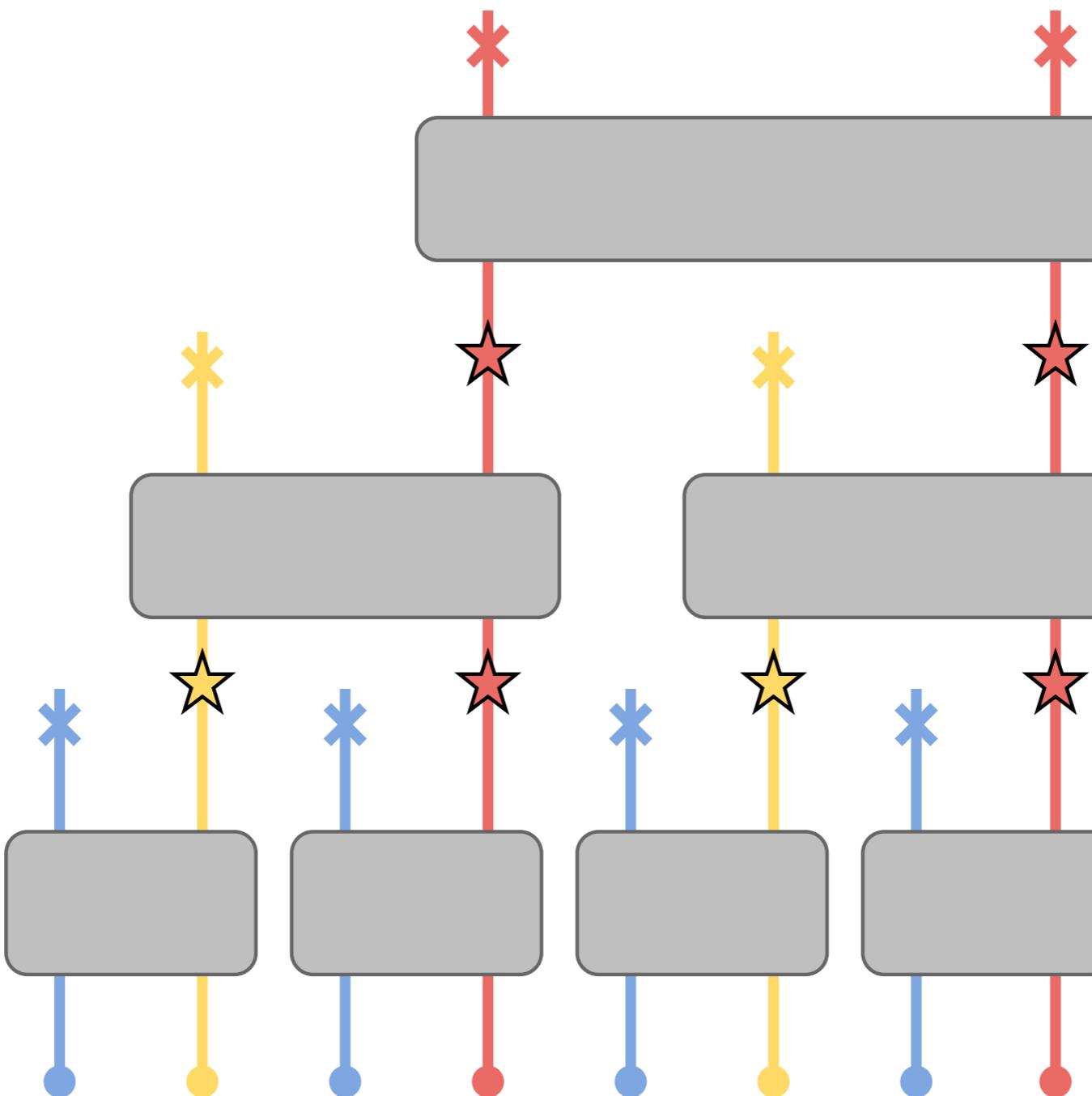
Flexible blocks and stacking

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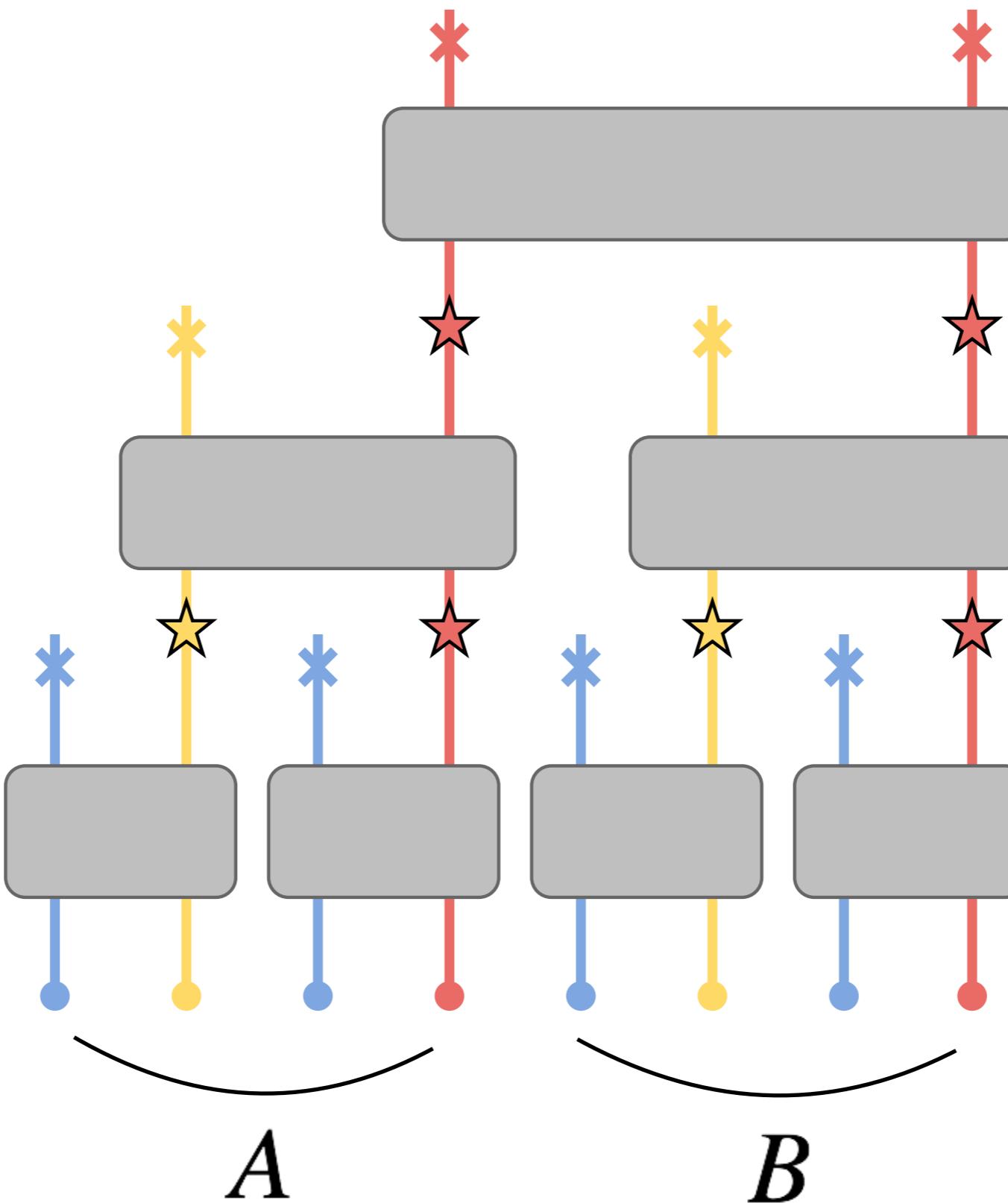


Correlation length  $\sim$  Network depth

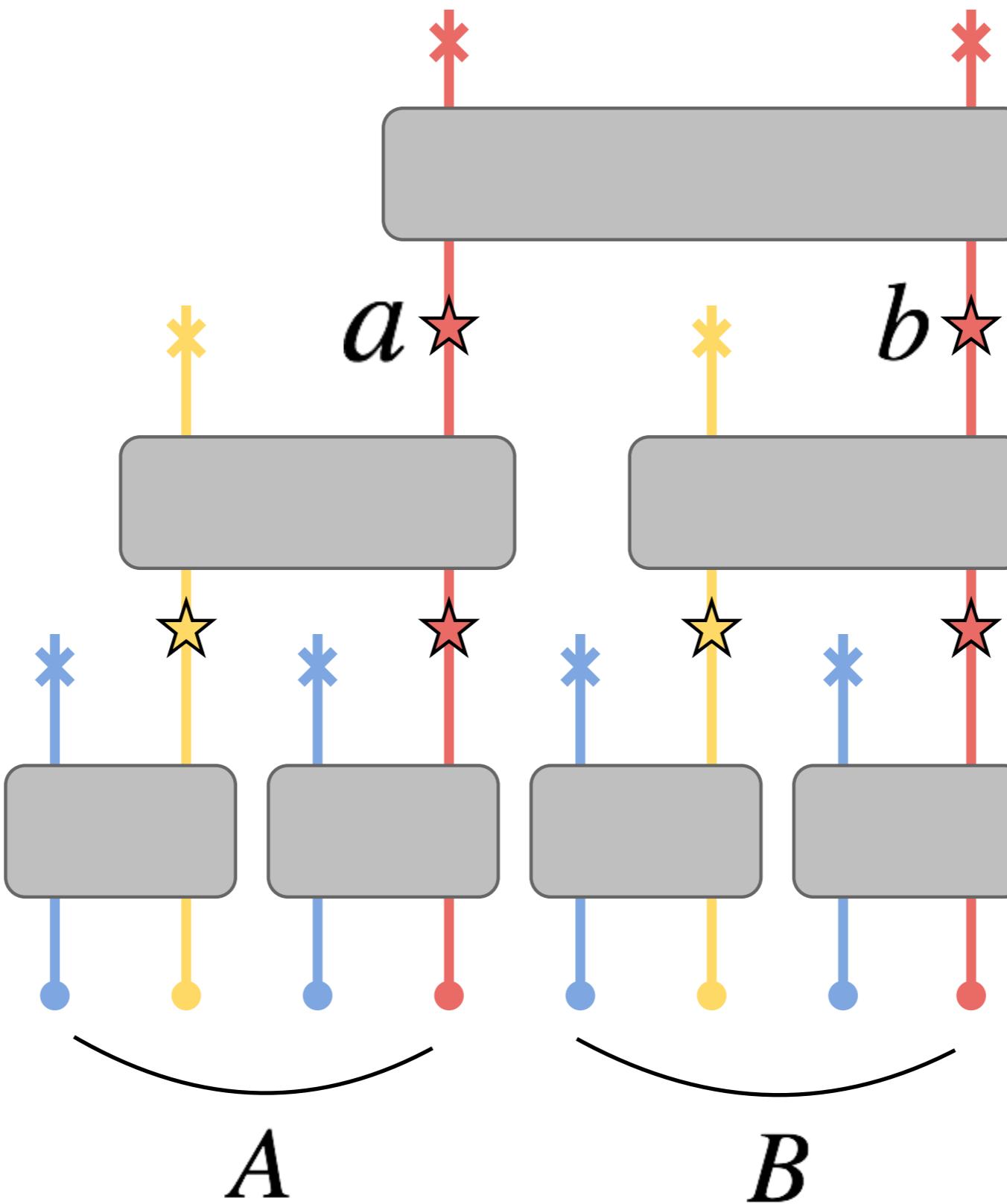
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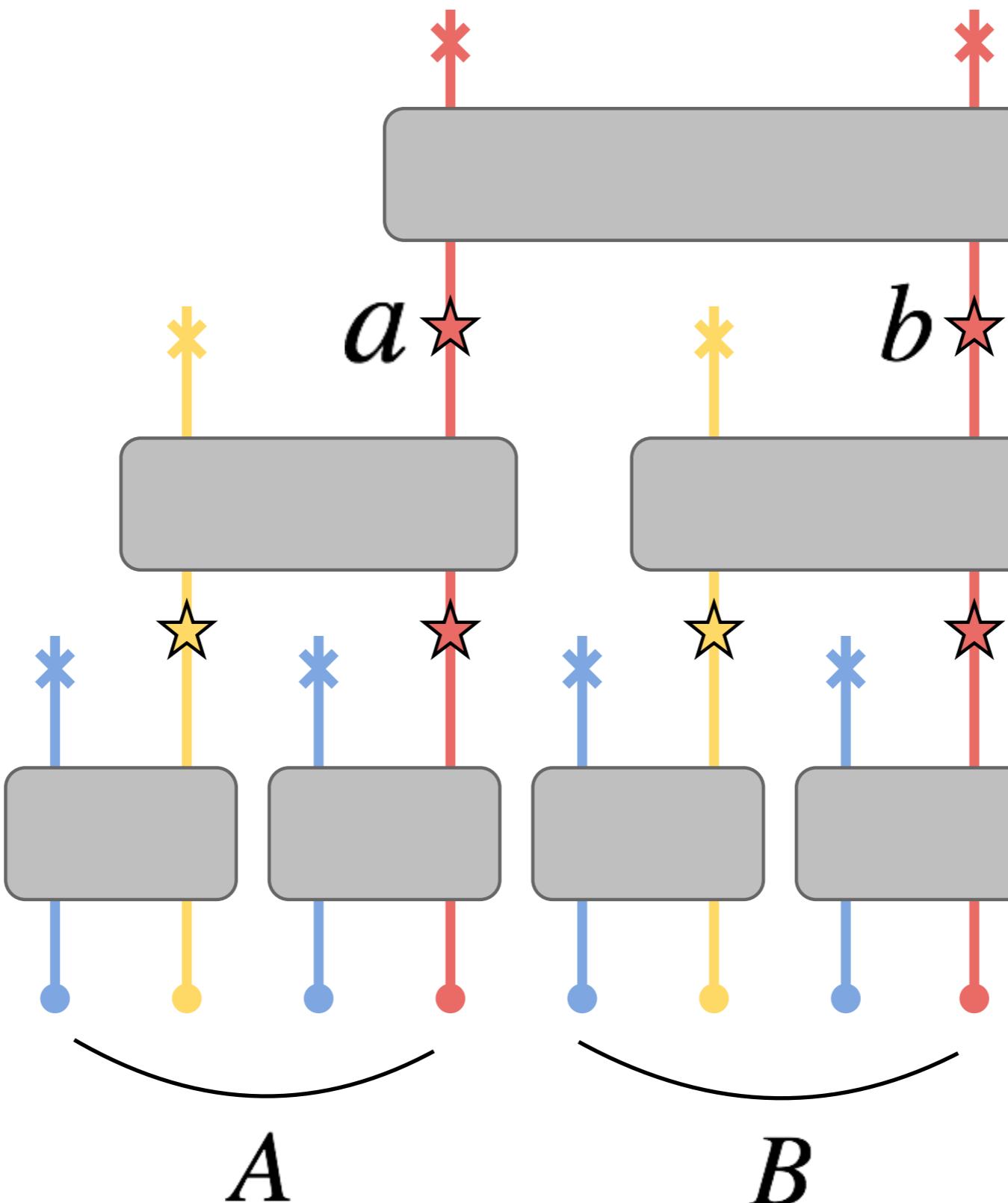
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$$I(A : B) = I(a : b)$$

Mutual Information Bottleneck

# Probability Density *Estimation*

Given a dataset, learn its probability density by minimizing the negative likelihood

$$\text{NLL}_{\theta} = - \sum_{x \in \text{dataset}} \ln q_{\theta}(x)$$

Network parameters

Equivalent to reduce the Kullback–Leibler divergence

$$\text{KL}\left(\frac{\pi(x)}{Z} \parallel q_{\theta}(x)\right)$$

However, typical Stat-Mech problem has access only to the energy function

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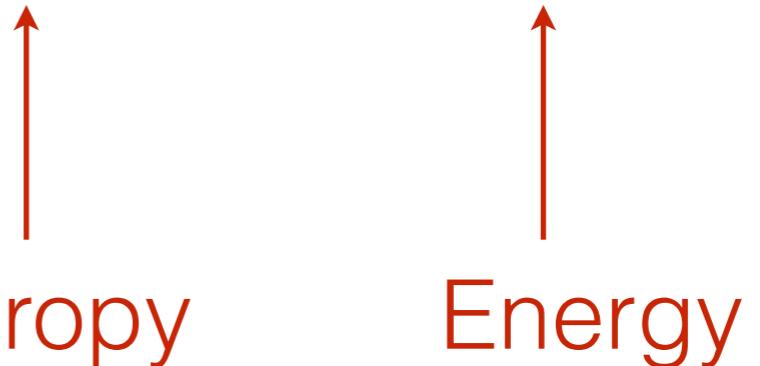
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Partition function

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$$\mathcal{L}_\theta + \ln Z = \text{KL}\left(q_\theta(\mathbf{x}) \parallel \frac{\pi(\mathbf{x})}{Z}\right) \geq 0$$

The loss function is lower bounded by the physical free energy (Gibbs-Bogoliubov-Feynman inequality)

# “Reparametrization trick”

How to compute the gradient w.r.t random sampling ?

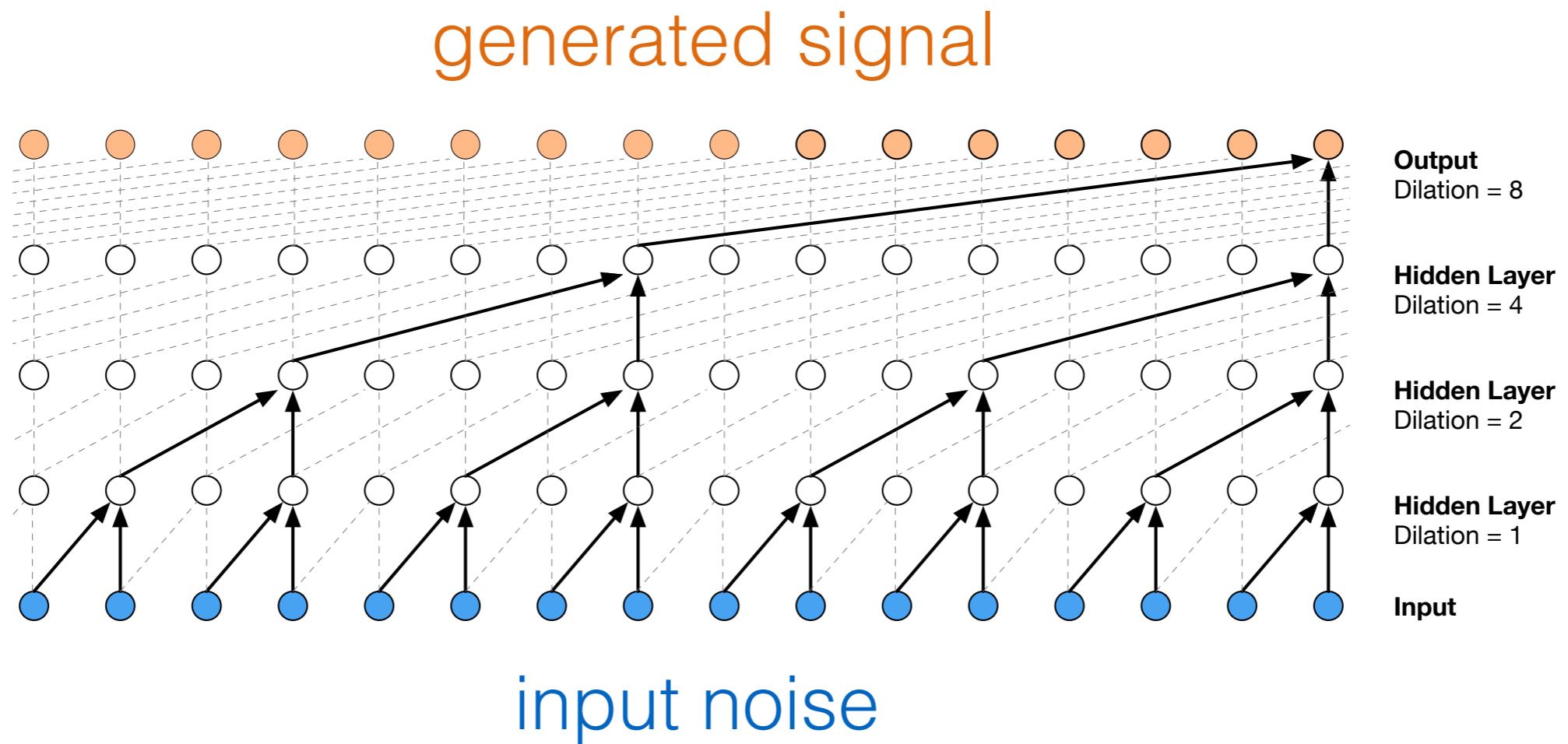
$$\mathcal{L}_\theta = \mathbb{E}_{z \sim p(z)} [\ln q(g_\theta(z)) - \ln \pi(g_\theta(z))]$$

Sample from the prior distribution

Network parameters

End-to-end training using **back-propagation**

# Interlude: WaveNet Story



Given a parallel WaveNet student  $p_S(x)$  and WaveNet teacher  $p_T(x)$  which has been trained on a dataset of audio, we define the **Probability Density Distillation** loss as follows:

$$D_{\text{KL}}(P_S || P_T) = H(P_S, P_T) - H(P_S) \quad (6)$$

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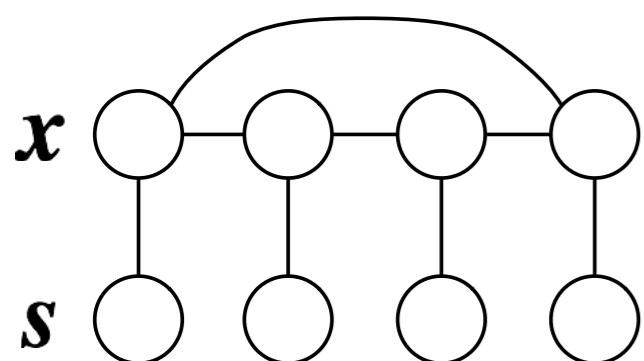
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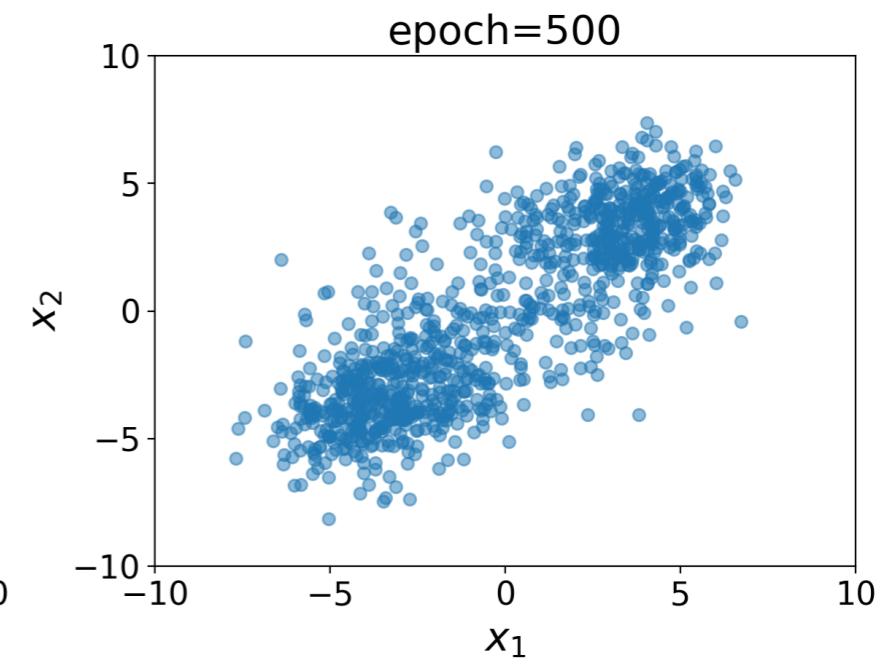
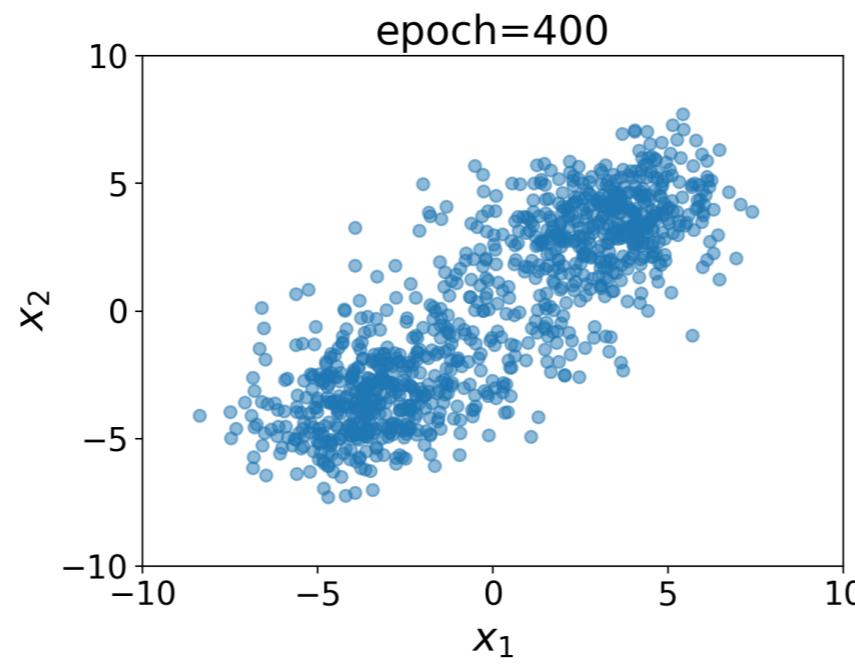
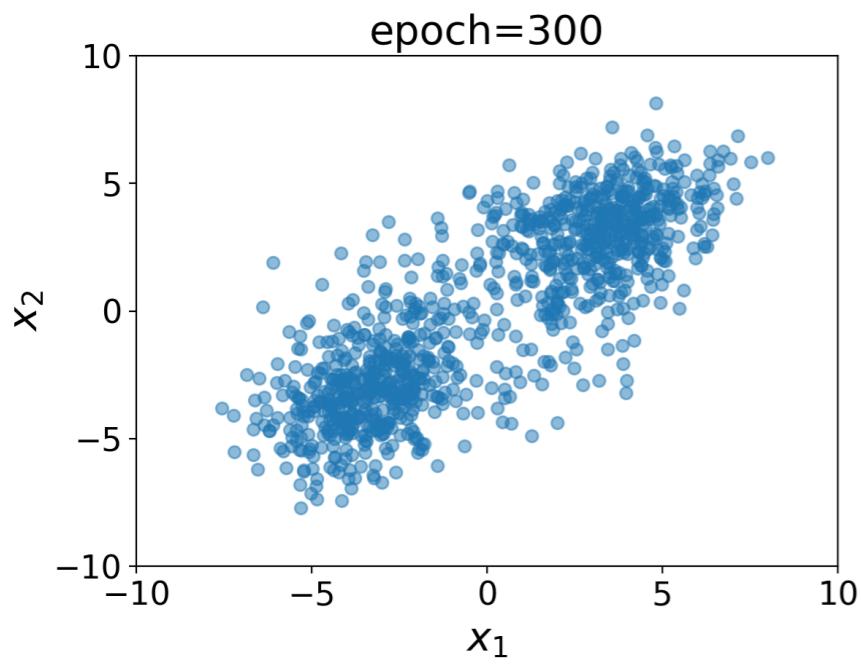
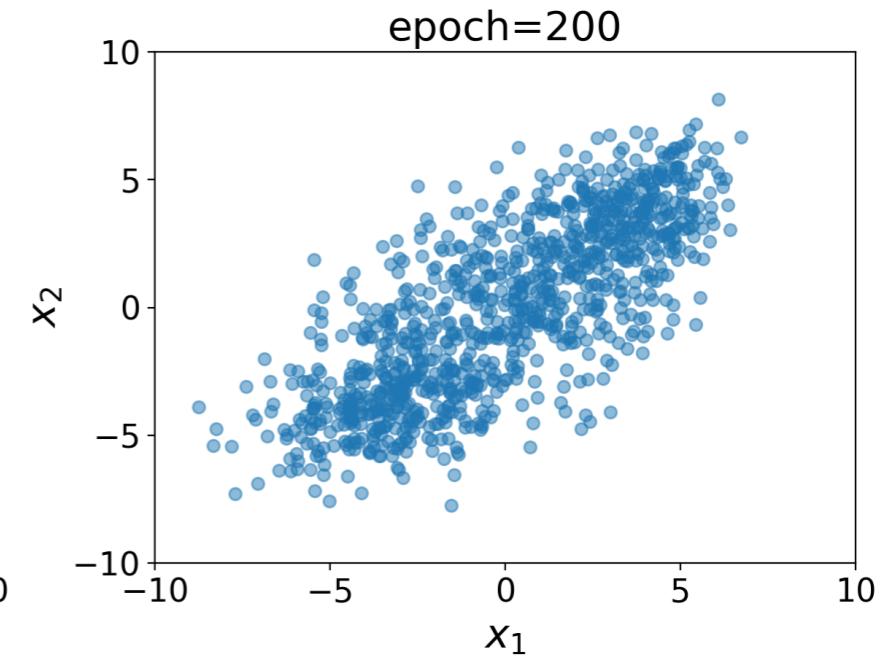
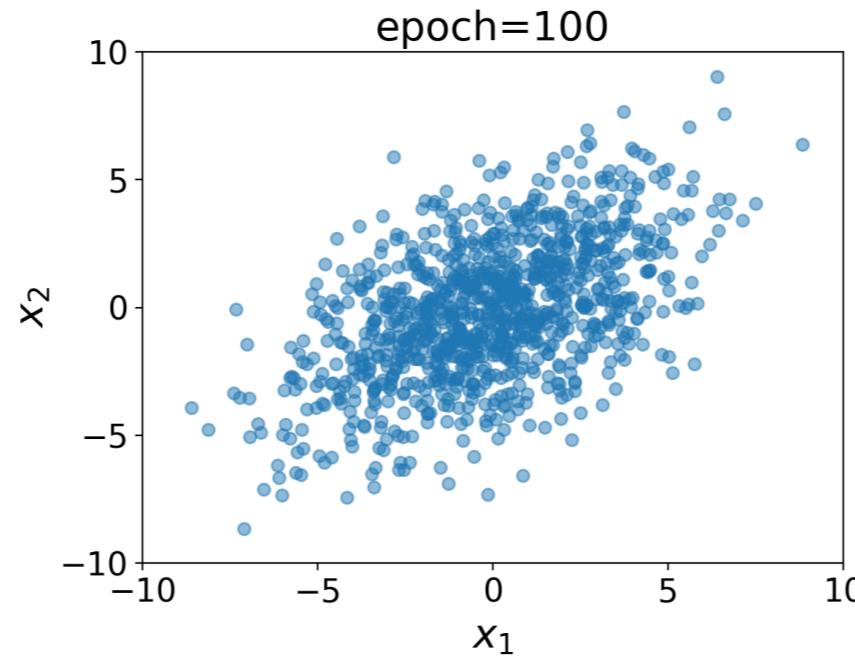
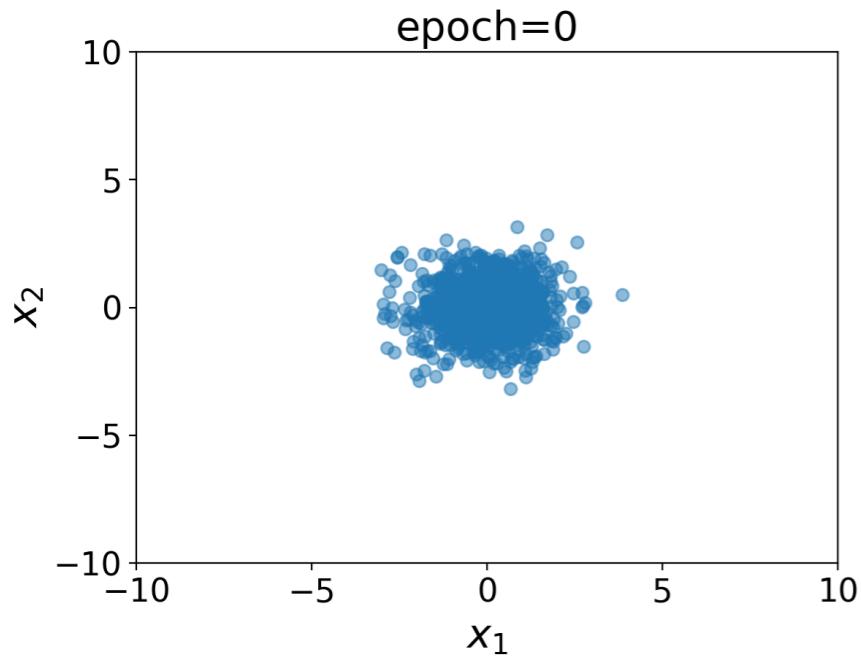
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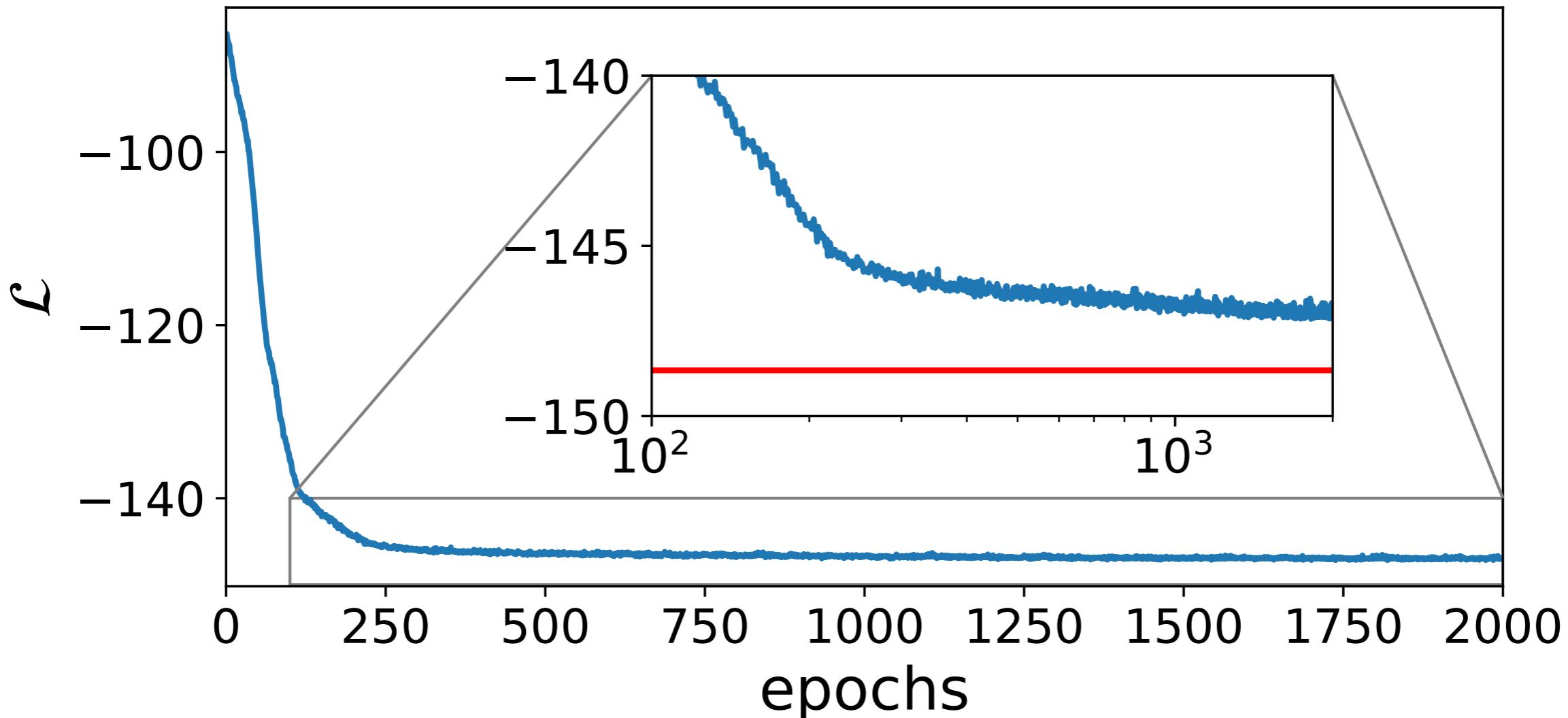
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# Generated Samples



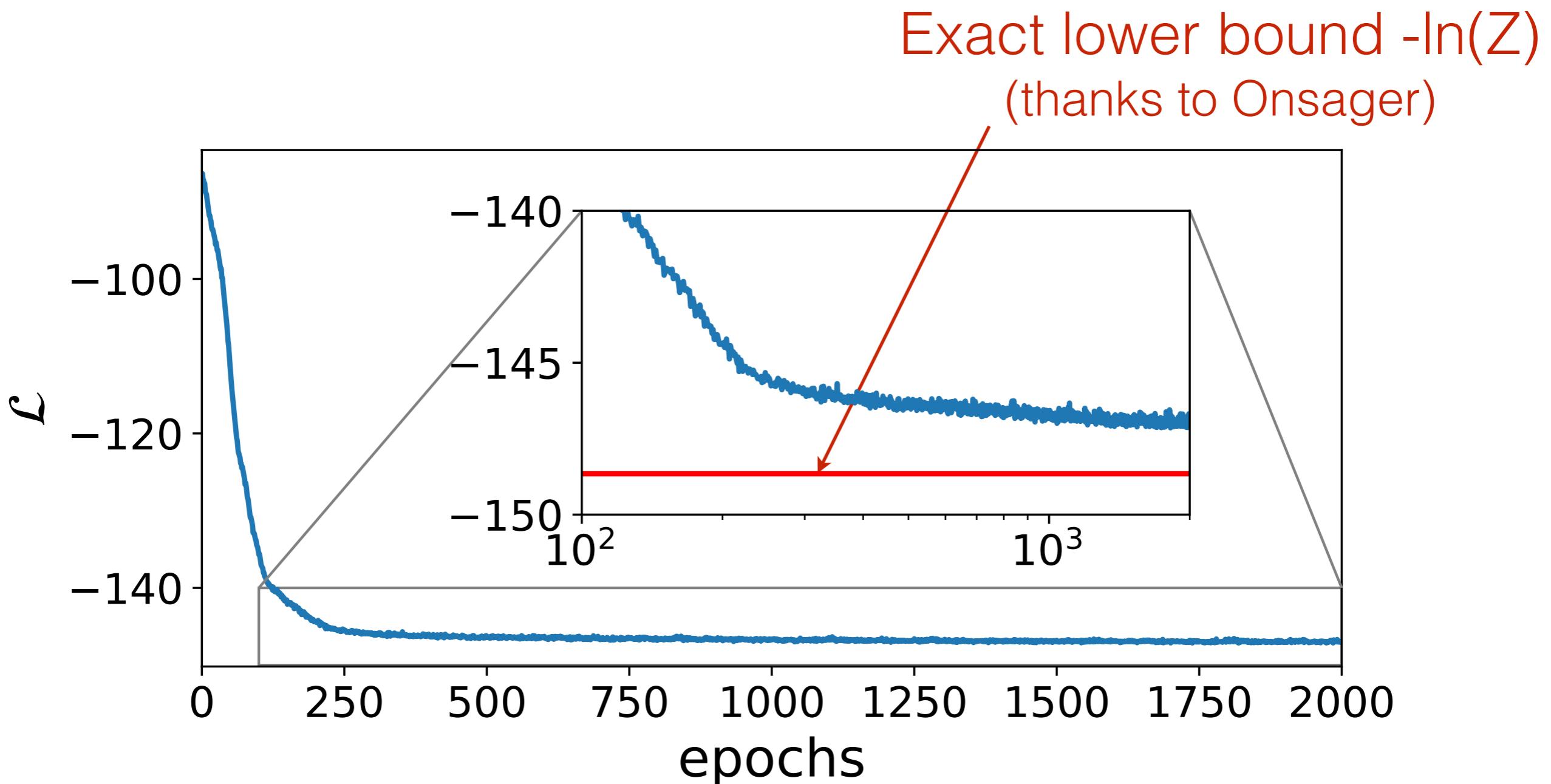
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# Variational Loss



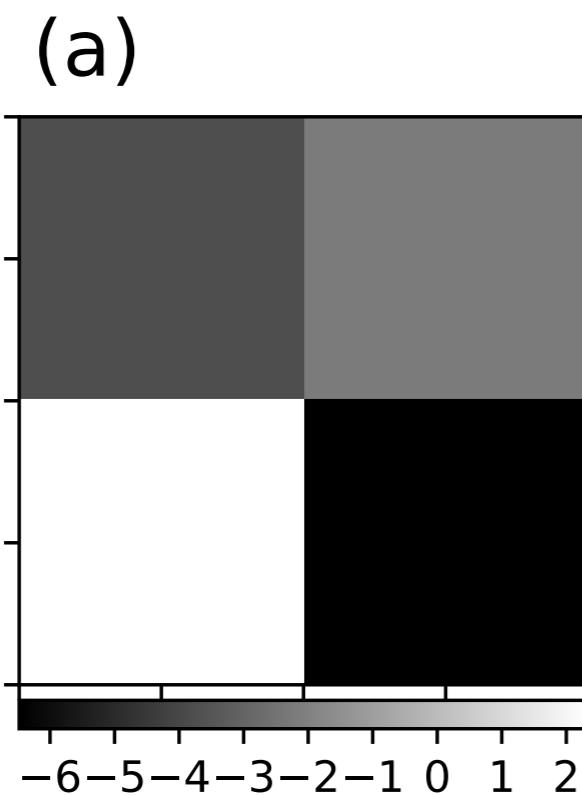
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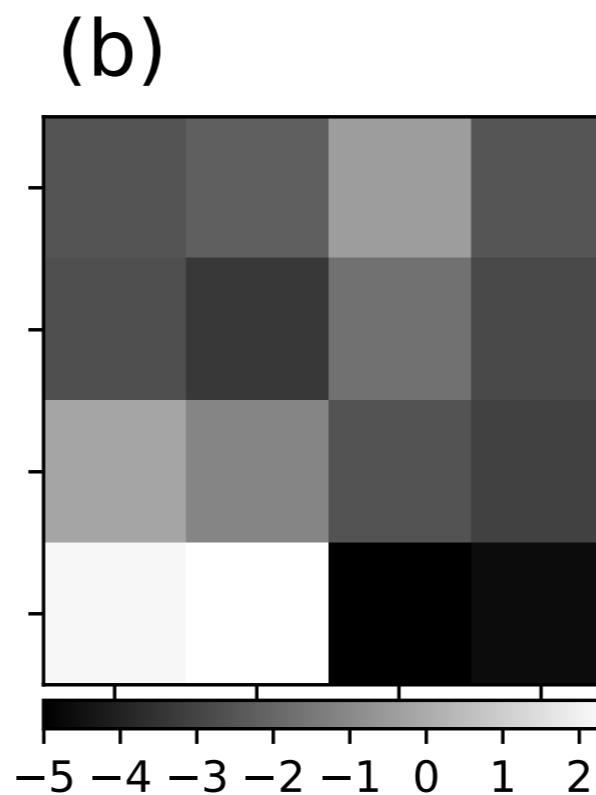


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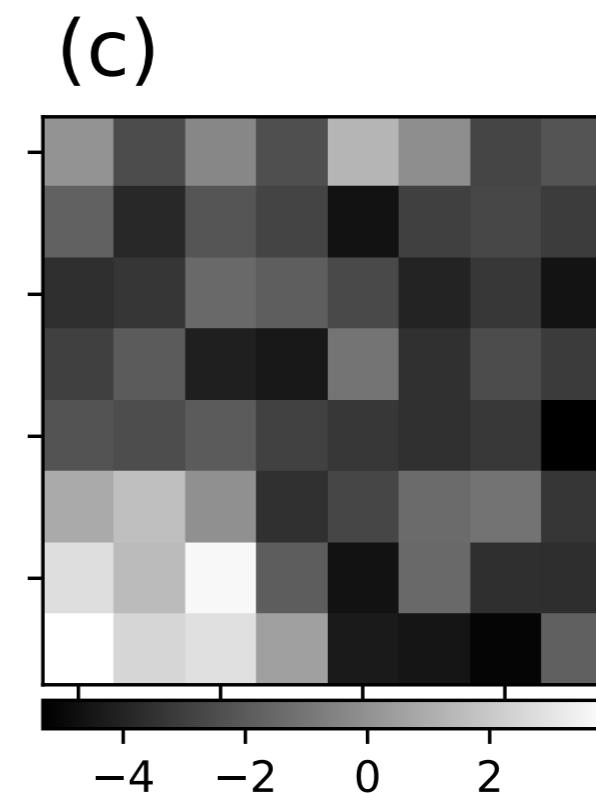
# Renormalized Collective Variables



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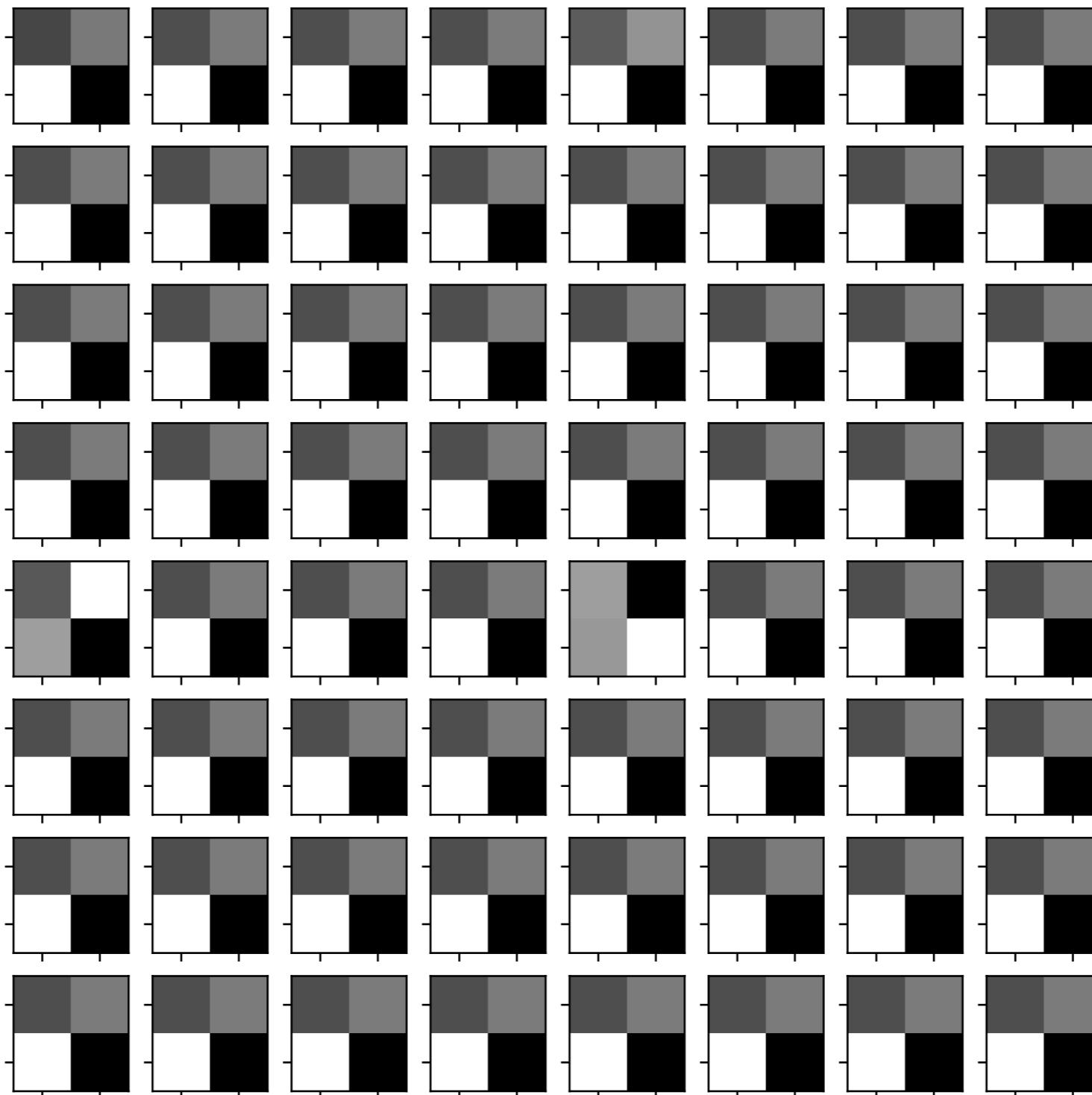
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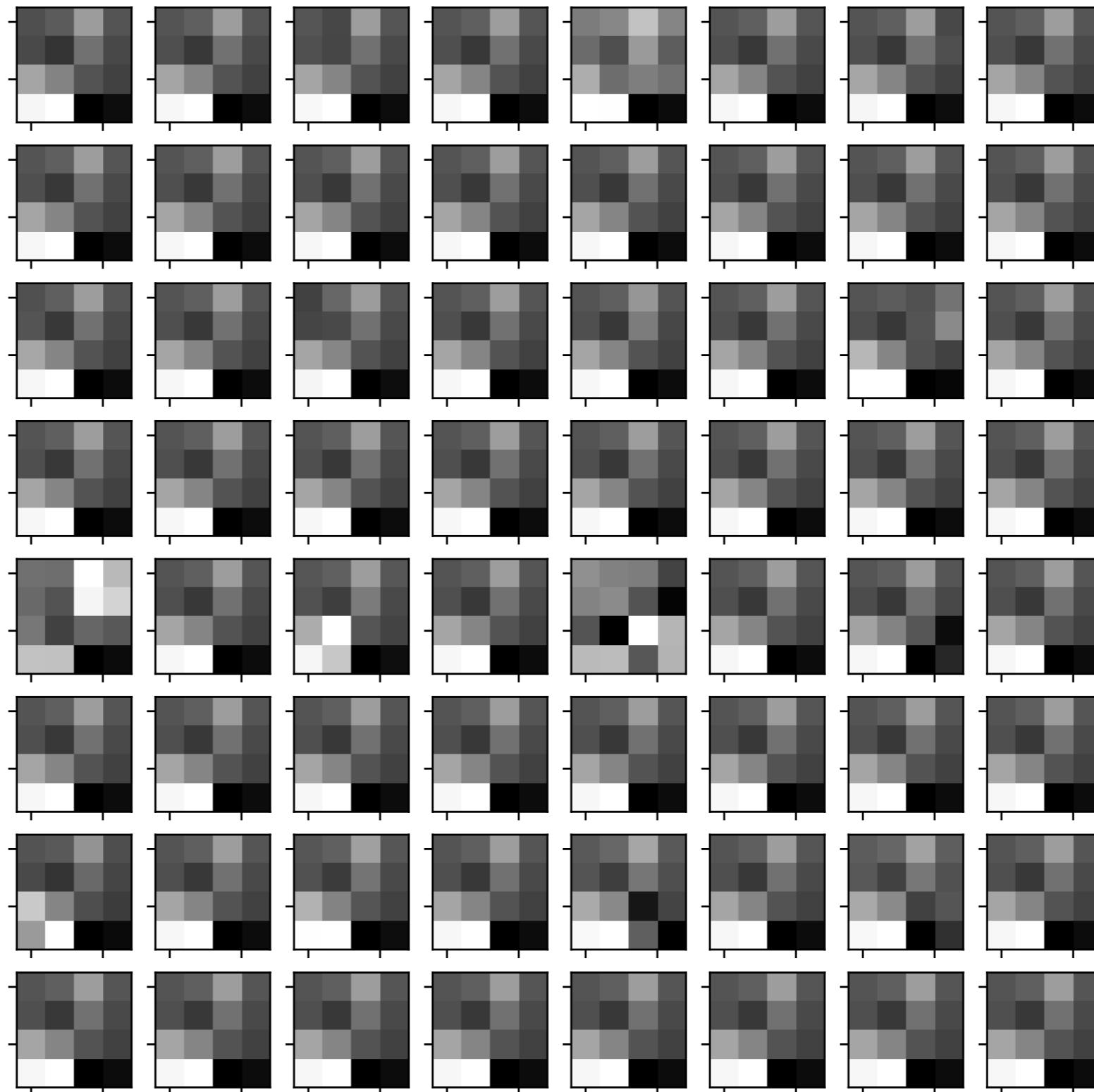
Physical  
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Also know their effective couplings  
=> renormalized energy function

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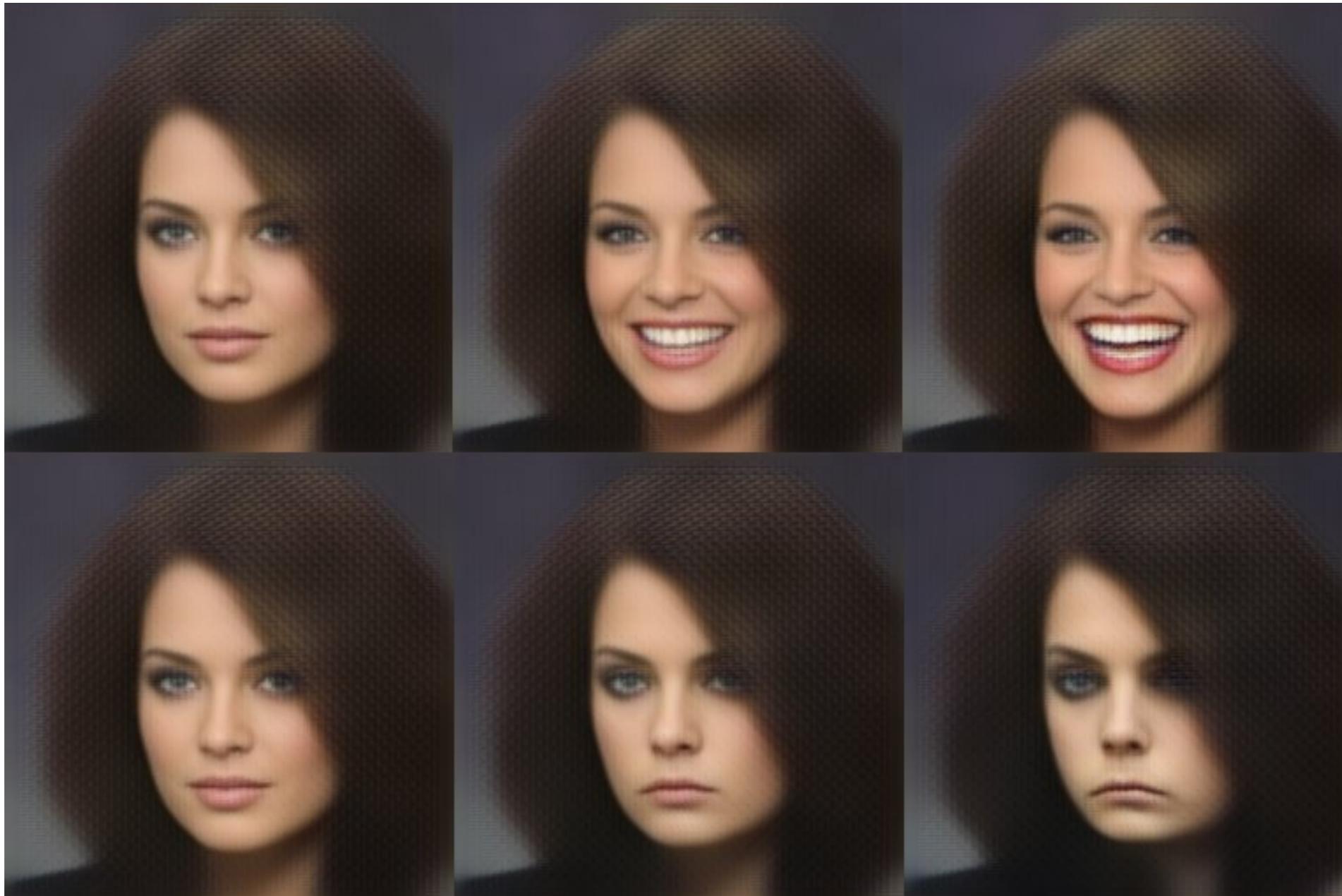


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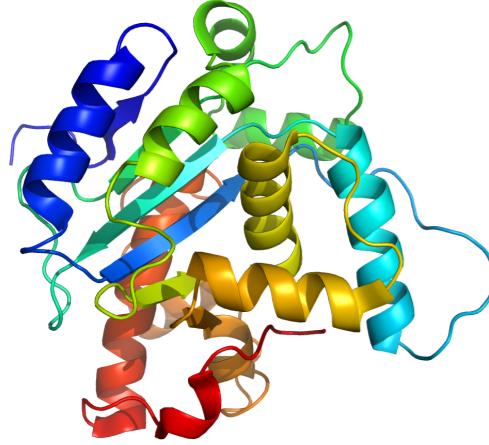
# Wander in the Latent Space

**Arithmetics of the “smile vector”**

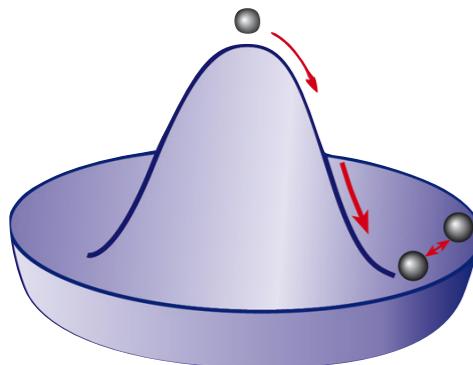


White, 1609.04468 implemented using the variational autoencoder by Kingma and Welling, 1312.6114

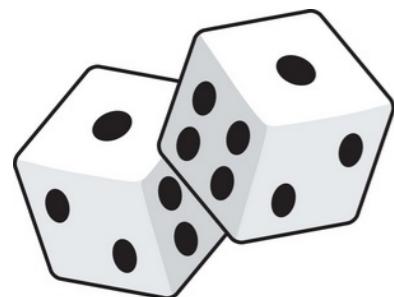
# How is it useful ?



Automatically identify collective variables  
(metadynamics molecular simulation)



Automatically derive effective field theory  
(free energy surface)



Monte Carlo update proposals

# Sampling in the latent space

Change-of-variables in a learnable way

$$Z = \int d\mathbf{x} \pi(\mathbf{x}) = \int dz \pi(g(z)) \left| \det \left( \frac{\partial \mathbf{x}}{\partial z} \right) \right|$$

↑  
Physical Prob. Dist.

↑  
Latent variable Prob. Dist.

Latent space is less correlated,  
therefore, easier to sample

# Metropolized Independent Sampler

Acceptance rate with detailed balance condition

$$A(\mathbf{x} \rightarrow \mathbf{x}') = \min \left[ 1, \frac{q(\mathbf{x})}{q(\mathbf{x}')} \cdot \frac{\pi(\mathbf{x}')}{\pi(\mathbf{x})} \right]$$

- Unbiased physics even for imperfect proposals
- Proposals are independent

Propose Ratio      Physical Probability

**Surrogate energy function:**

Li Huang and LW, 1610.02746

Liu, Qi, Meng, Fu, 1610.03137

**Trainable transition kernel:**

Song, Zhao, Ermon, 1706.07561

Levy, Hoffman, Sohl-Dickstein, 1711.09268

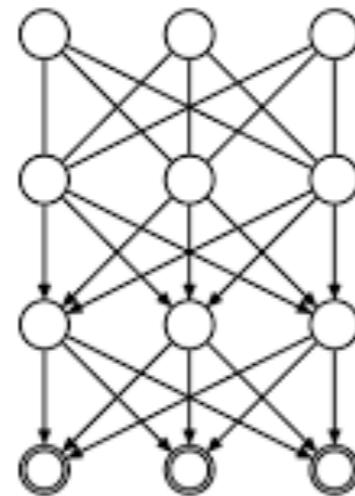
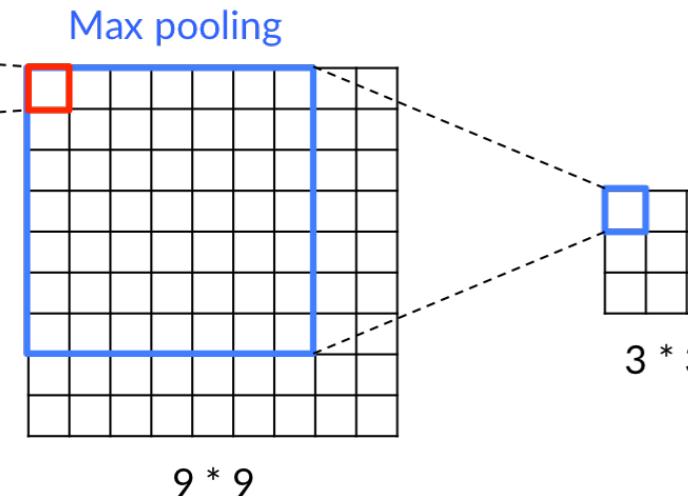
# Remarks on TNS Connection

- What we had is a **classical downgrade of MERA** (Bény 2013)
  - Probability Density~ Quantum Wavefuntion
  - Classical Mutual Information ~ Entanglement Entropy
  - “Decorrelator” ~ Disentangler
  - Decimator~Isometry
  - Bijector~Unitary
- Deep Learning machinery provides **structural flexibility, modular abstraction, end-to-end training**
- We give back to DL **understandings of what are they doing** (and hopefully, how to do better)

# Remarks on DL

## Old Wisdoms

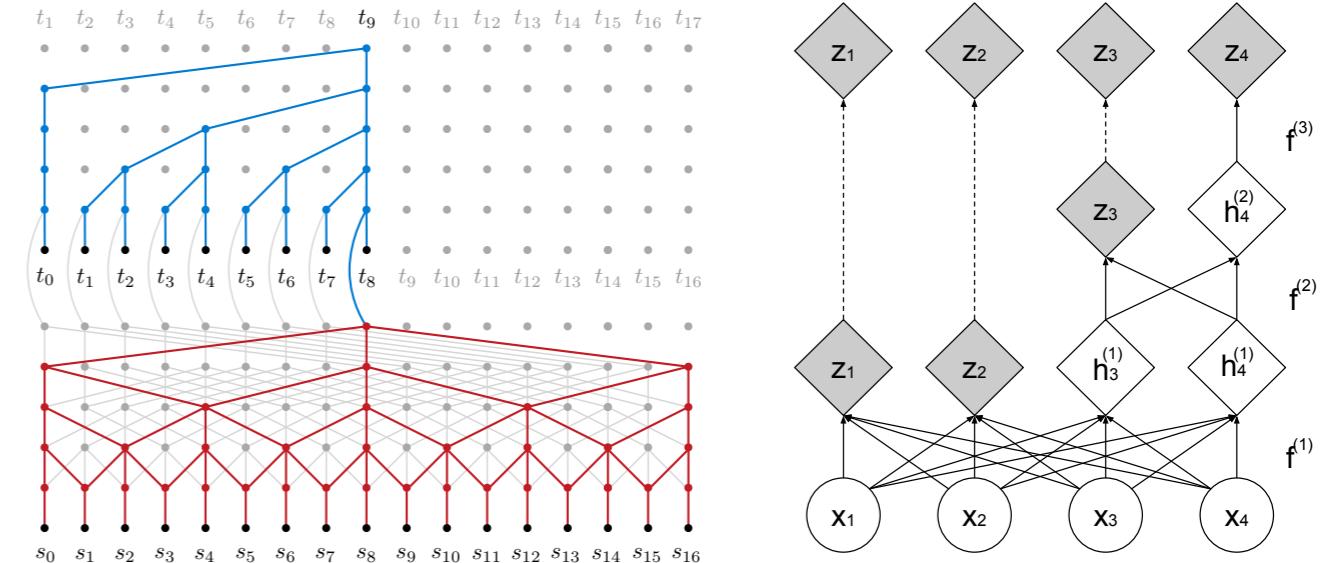
Pooling layer in ConvNets  
~ Decimation



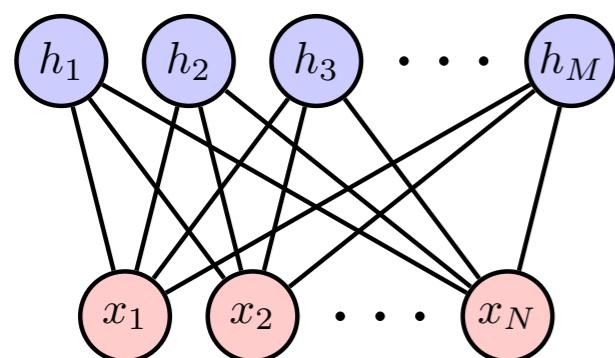
## New Insights

Dialed convolution + Factor out layers = Decimation

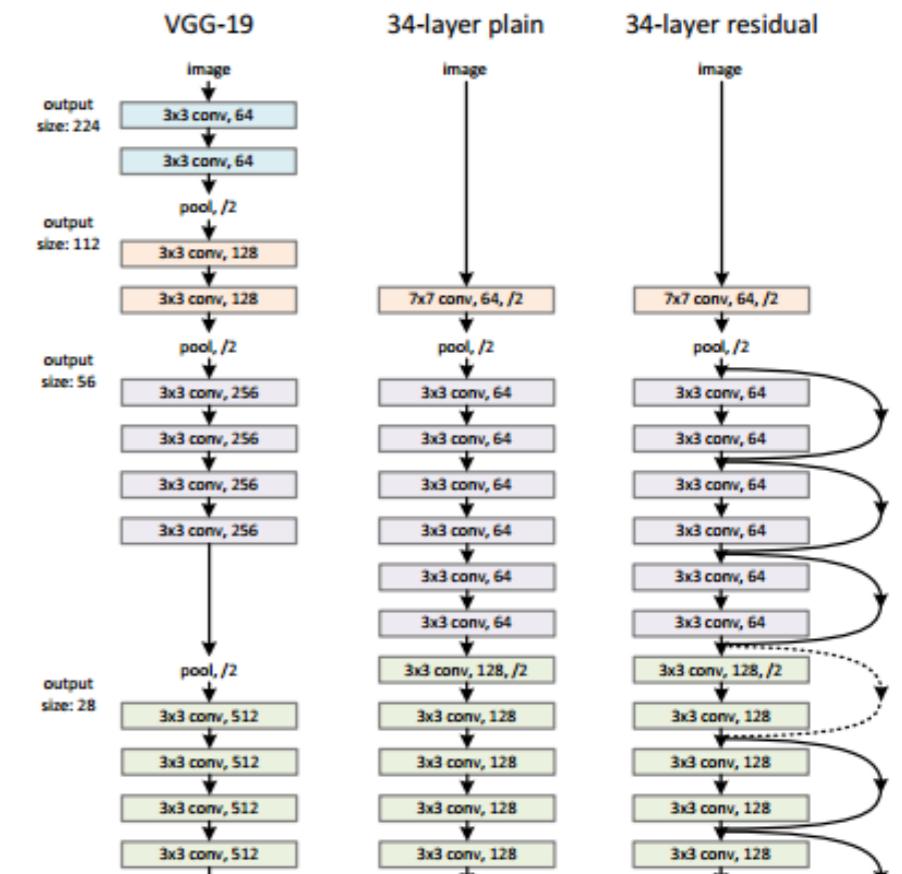
Kept latent variables =  
Renormalized Variables



# Spherical chicken in vacuum



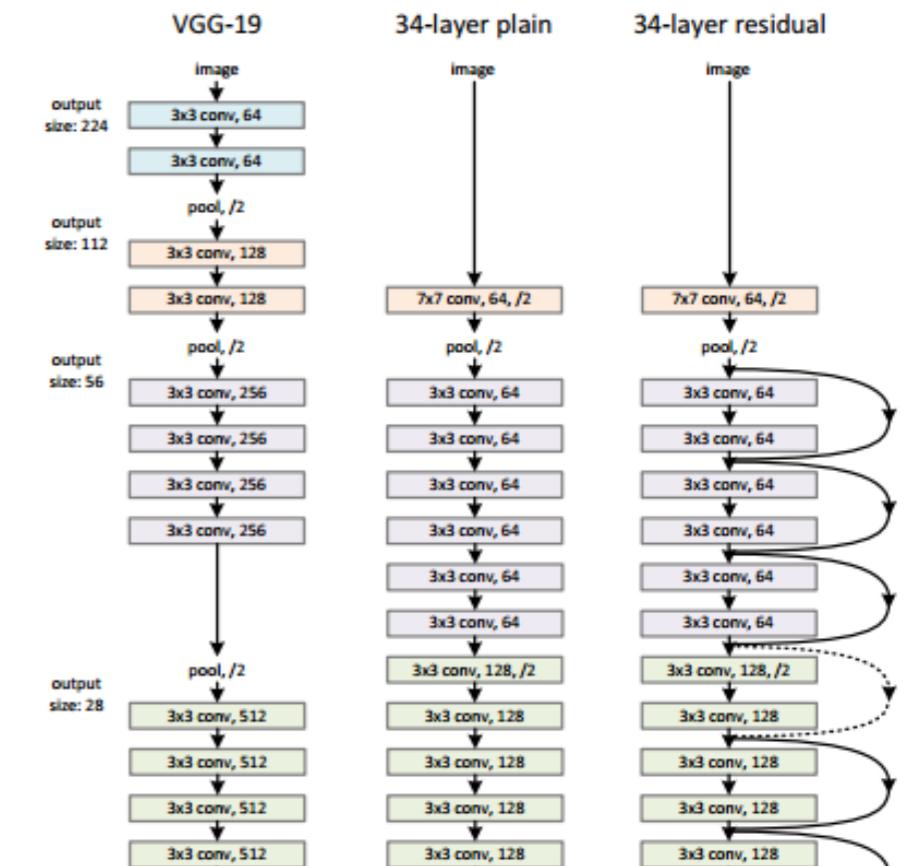
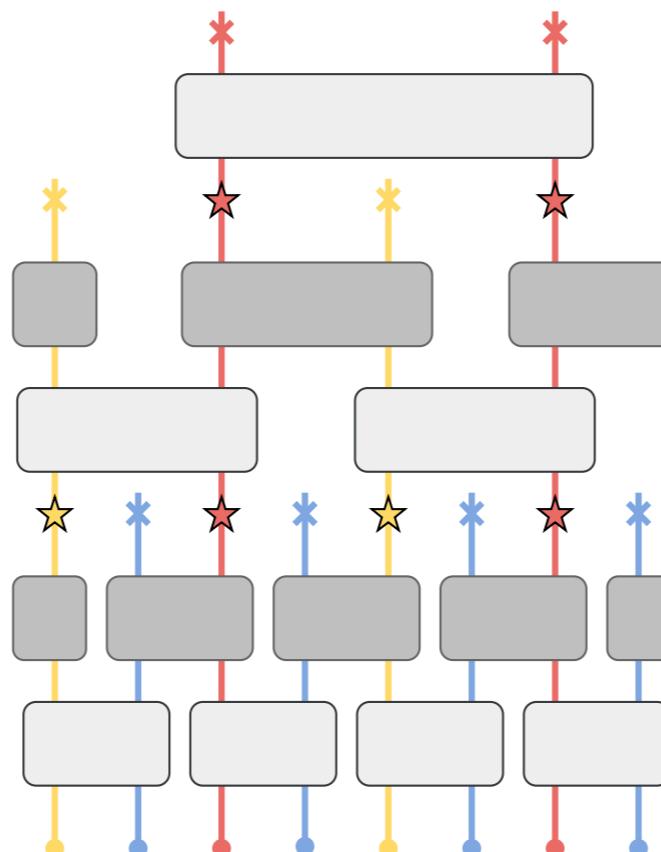
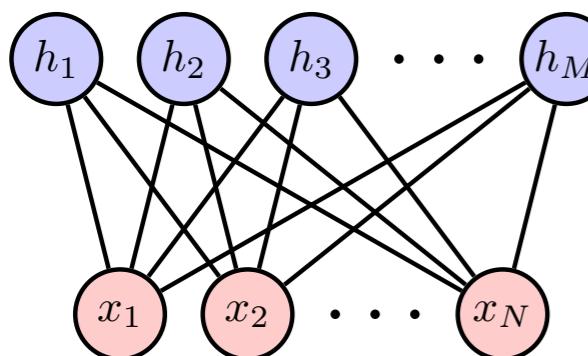
# Animals in the wild



# Here we are

Spherical chicken  
in vacuum

Animals  
in the wild



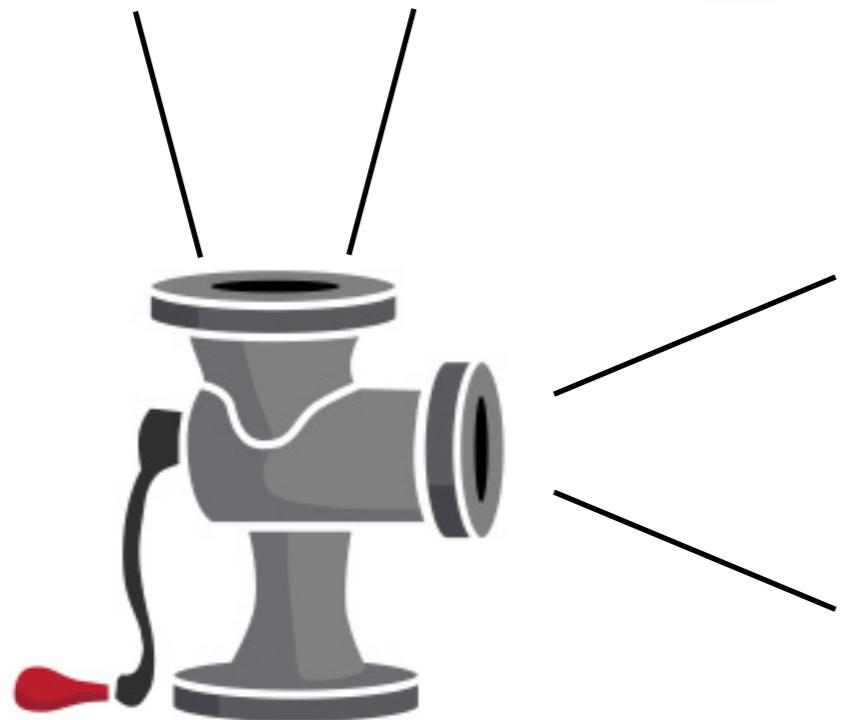
Simplified, but not oversimplified model with balanced interpretability and expressibility

# Remarks on RG

- Conventionally, RG is a **semi-group**, not a **group**
- NeuralRG builds on bijectors, hence a group  
(coarse-graining due to the multiscale structure)
- **Probabilistic** (Jona-Lasinio 75') and **Information Theory** (Apenko 09') views on RG (same is true for neural & tensor networks)
- Diffeomorphism does not change **topology** of the manifolds, therefore, may be limited.

# The Universe as a Generative Model

$$\mathcal{L} = \int d\bar{x} \sqrt{-g} \left[ \frac{m_p^2}{2} R - \frac{1}{4} F_{\mu\nu}^a F_a^{\mu\nu} + i \bar{\psi}^i \gamma^\mu D_\mu \psi^i + \left( \bar{\psi}_L^i \gamma_j \not{D} \psi_R^j + \text{h.c.} \right) - |\partial_\mu \not{\Phi}|^2 - V(\not{\Phi}) \right]$$



**Thank you!**